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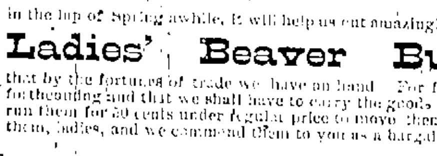
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For the ... of selecting two candidates for Electors ... and Vice President of the United St... four delegates at large, and four alter... attend the National Convention, to be held ... ago, Illinois, on Tuesday, June 19th, 1888, ... acting any other business that may prop... ...ne before it.

The basis ... representation will be as follows: Each city, ... and plantation will be entitled to one delegate ... for each seventy-five votes cast for the ... candidate for Governor in 1886, an additional delegate, and for a fraction of forty votes in excess of seventy-five votes, an additional delegate.

The State Committee will be in session in the reception room of the Hall at nine o'clock on the morning of the Convention, for the purpose of receiving the credentials of delegates.

All electors of Maine, without regard to past political differences, who are in sympathy with the sentiments expressed in the call of the Republican National Committee for the Republican National Convention, are cordially invited to unite with the Republicans of the State in selecting delegates to this Convention.

Per Order Republican State Committee,

JOSEPH H. MANLEY, Chairman

WILLIS H. WING, Secretary.

Augusta, Maine, February 11, 1888

Arrangement of Trains.

The Republican State Committee have made the following Railroad arrangements for the Republican State Convention

MAINE CENTRAL RAILROAD.—Tickets for any train Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, April 24th, 25th and 26th, from Aroostook County and Eastern Maine, good to return on any train Thursday, Friday and Saturday, April 26th, 27th and 28th, can be had at one fare the round trip. At all other points on the Maine Central tickets will only be sold good for any train going to Bangor on the 25th and 26th, and for a return Thursday and Friday, the 26th and 27th. Special trains will be run from Portland to Bangor on the morning of the Convention, returning after the adjournment. The train from Portland to Bangor will run both ways, via Lewiston and via Augusta

BANGOR & PISCATAQUIS RAILROAD.—One fare the round trip. Tickets for all trains Wednesday and Thursday, April 25th and 26th. Return Thursday and Friday, April 26th and 27th

NEW BRUNSWICK RAILWAY.—One fare for round trip. Tickets good going to Bangor, April 24th, 25th and 26th. Return 26th, 27th and 28th

BOSTON & MAINE RAILROAD.—Tickets two cents per mile each way. Tickets good going to Bangor Wednesday and Thursday, April 25th and 26th, good to return Thursday and Friday, April 26th and 27th. Tickets must be purchased from any station on the Boston & Maine to the nearest station on the Maine Central, and then a ticket purchased on the Maine Central Railroad

PORTLAND & ROCHESTER RAILROAD.—One fare for round trip. Tickets good going to Bangor April 25th and 26th, returning 26th and 27th. Delegates must present certificate to station agent to obtain one fare

PORTLAND & OGDENSBURG RAILROAD.—One fare for round trip. Tickets good going to Bangor April 25th and 26th, return April 26th and 27th.

GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY.—One fare for round trip. Tickets good going to Bangor, April 25th and 26th, return 26th, 27th and 28th.

KNOX & LINCOLN RAILROAD.—One fare for round trip. Tickets good going to Bangor, April 25th and 26th; return 26th and 27th.

SOMERSET RAILROAD.—Round trip tickets for one fare. Good going to Bangor, April 25th and 26th, return April 26th and 27th.

SANDY RIVER RAILROAD.—One fare for round trip. Tickets good going to Bangor April 25th and 26th, return April 26th and 27th.

FRANKLIN & MEGANTIC RAILROAD.—One fare for round trip. Same limit of tickets as to time as Sandy River Railroad.

BANGOR & BOSTON STEAMSHIP COMPANY.—Tickets one fare for round trip. Tickets good from April 24th to April 28th, inclusive

STATE NEWS.

Androscoggin.

George Gay, of Auburn, has suffered another surgical operation on his hand. This time a part of the hand has been removed in the hope of relieving the sufferer and saving the hand. Mr. Gay met with the accident about three months ago, while running a stitching machine in Gay, Woodman & Co.'s shop. For several days the wound was considered trifling, but later it developed into a more serious nature, and the second finger was amputated about two months ago. Mr. Gay is suffering much.

A boy aged twelve years, recently met with a singular accident at Goss' electric light station. The lad was playing on the ice just over the falls when he fell in and was carried over the falls into the boiling waters below. The swift current carried the boy onward and washed him under the ice a few feet further down stream. He emerged from his under the ice help after going about twenty feet, and managed to get ashore and scramble up the bank. The boy's father came along at this moment and assisted him home. The father seemed more alarmed than the son.

Sad news for Lisbon Centre people was received yesterday in an announcement of the death of Frank T. Jones, of Lisbon, who was killed by lightning in Bassa, Africa, Feb. 22nd. He sailed from Portland, Nov. 29th, 1887, for the west coast of Africa, in the schooner Ellen Cruse, and his father-in-law, Capt. L. Ross, accompanied him. Capt. Ross went for his health. Their respective families received a letter about one month ago, stating that both were well and expecting to return soon. Capt. Jones' young wife was looking for him in about one week, and was making calculations to meet him in Portland. This is a crushing blow to her. She has two small children, the oldest not yet four years old, the other not quite two. It was a sad home. The intelligence received states that Capt. Jones had been off about two miles in his boat with a boy, on business, and they were returning when the lightning bolt struck them. They sank and rose not again.

Aroostook.

The following carloads of freight were shipped from Houlton station for the week ending March 24th: Cedar posts 9; hay 10; potatoes 9; ashes 3; shingles 3; lumber 4; leather 1; miscellaneous 8; starch 1. Total, 49 cars.

Nelson Herrin is making arrangements for a number of boat races to take place on Nickerson Lake, July 4th. Last week he went to Calais to confer with several oarsmen there, and received considerable encouragement. Mr. Herrin is also corresponding with other crews.

Cumberland.

The New Gloucester Corn Packing establishment will make for its two factories 750,000 cans between now and fall. Besides corn, they will pack tomatoes, squash and string beans.

Mr. Joshua D. Wardwell, in the employ of the Westbrook Manufacturing Company, met with a very severe accident Tuesday. A heavy bale of cotton fell on his right leg, breaking both bones just above the ankle.

An improvement in barbed wire for fencing has been invented by Mr. E. W. Robinson, of Portland, and patent applied for. The improvement consists in substituting a short spiral coil of spring wire in place of the ordinary stiff barb. This will resist against a direct pressure upon the fence, but will bend down under pressure sideways. The inventor believes he has a good thing.

The schooner May Williams, from Charleston, South Carolina, for Boothbay, with phosphate rock, put into Portland, Tuesday, having been out in the late gales, and had lost and split sails. Quite a fleet of shore fishermen were in port Tuesday. They report a very heavy sea outside, and in the harbor the water was so rough that it was almost impossible to load vessels at the wharves.

Much anxiety is felt concerning the schooner Henry S. Culver which sailed from Baltimore March 6, with 1,058 tons of coal for Randall, McAllister of Portland. Several other vessels which sailed from Baltimore later than March 6, have arrived, but not a word has been heard of the Henry S. Culver since she left port, and it is believed that she is lost. The vessel was a large and staunch one, but she was subjected to the recent heavy storms which prevailed at sea.

The Chestnut street Methodist Sunday School, Portland, was organized in 1822. Since then it has had enrolled 15,000 different members, 2,000 of whom have been converted while connected with the Sunday school. It has contributed a little over $8,000 to foreign missions, and thirty-nine of its former members have become ministers. Nine churches date their origin from this school. The school has now a membership of over 600. One hundred and fifty new books have just been added to its library, making about 1,300 first-class volumes on its shelves.

Kennebec.

At the last annual town meeting in Winthrop, it was unanimously voted to exempt from taxation for a term of ten years any additions C. M. Bailey, Sons & Co., make to their extensive plant for manufacturing oil cloths. It is understood that they will move their Skowhegan factories to Winthrop, the coming summer, which will add from thirty to fifty families to the present population.

Henry A. Fairfield, a veteran printer in Boston, who was seventy-seven years old, March 22d, has for sixty-five years earned his living in printing offices, beginning his apprenticeship when but twelve years old, at Waterville. For more than thirty years he was employed at Augusta, and for the past twenty-two years has worked in the *New England Farmer* office in Boston. Mr. Fairfield's two sons have been employed in the Boston *Journal* composing room for more than twenty years.

Augustus H. Wood, of Augusta, was arrested by Detective Heald, Tuesday night, for stealing brass babbits from the Maine Central Railroad. The property was in the freight depot and it is alleged that Wood purloined it a little at a time, selling it at the hardware stores and junk shops. Some of the stolen property was found, and Wood was bound over to the April term of court. He is a brother of Will Wood, who recently fell from a train at Gardiner and lost his life.

Knox.

In view of the deep anxiety of many at Tenants Harbor, for friends unheard from since the severe storm and gale, a seaman's meeting was appointed for last Sabbath evening, which was largely attended. Prayers, experiences of the seamen, singing, select reading, recitations and solos made up the programme. Deacon Long interested the interest and turned prayer to praise in some sorrowing hearts, by reading the good news just then received, of the safety of Captain Hart and the four men with him, all of St. George, who sailed from Rockland in the schooner ..., loaded with lime. Great anxiety continued for captain and crew of the schooner Sarah Potter, which has been due many days, but Monday, news came that the schooner and crew had safely reached Vineyard Haven.

Waldo.

The rain of Wednesday last did considerable damage in Frankfort. The ice came down with such force that it took the lower bridge, and the water rose to such a height that a number of families had to rush from their homes, the water standing twenty inches in some of the houses. There were tons of ice thrown up into the road.

The Crusade.

THE FOURTEENTH ANNUAL REPORT OF THE SECRETARY.

Mrs. President and Sisters.—Do we fully realize to-night that we meet together for our fourteenth anniversary? Do we remember as we look back over the years to the first inspiration of our hearts when we gave answer to our sisters in the West as they cried to us for help in the work of saving their homes from the demon of strong drink; "O help us!" they cried from their prison homes. Our cheeks burned with shame for our country as we thought of these Christian women sent to prison for standing between their homes and the saloon. Shame on America that such things must be historic! that in the fair pages of our country's records this dark leaf must remain. Loving greetings we sent them, and enrolled ourselves in the great temperance movement. Above the thick clouds God's love was shining, and the voice that is ever true was saying, "Call upon me in the hour of trouble and I will give you strength." Prayer and faith in God has held us together for fourteen years.

True, we have not accomplished all that our hearts so hopefully wished, yet we have done the best we could. Petitions, pleadings, and prayers have been our weapons. The first are always unheeded, or carelessly thrown aside, the second lives in reformed homes; the latter, has drawn us nearer the Good Father, who is our strength and shield.

What any life can do is a secret with God, however humble that life may be. Its influence may be felt through ages, or it may leave a trace seen only by Him.

> So we will try to weave the pattern of life
> With a bright and golden filling,
> And do Christ's work with a ready hand,
> With a heart that is always willing.

This is indeed Christ's work, and if He were on earth to-day, would he give his influence for or against the saloon? You can all answer the question according to the dictates of your own conscience.

The National W. C. T. U. is by far the largest society of women ever formed. It has a membership of more than two hundred thousand, taking in every State and Territory, and many foreign countries. To this great army we belong, only reserving the name of Crusade instead of Union, also our motto, "For God and Humanity," while the National is "For God, and Home, and Native Land." So you see this great army of women are standing between the saloon and home. The women of Maine only ask the enforcement of all laws tending for the protection of home and the best good of the people. The mother asks protection for her boy from this evil. The deer and birds of our forests, the fish of our rivers are protected by law, let these laws be broken there seems no trouble in meting out justice to the offender. Let the boy be carried home drunk to his mother, where is justice then? for the law is broken, all the same, as it is a crime to sell liquor in Maine. On the one hand it is an animal, bird, or fish, on the other, it is only a boy.

These things will not last much longer; good people are coming to the front. Education is making rapid advances; the air is filled with the sound of the advancing footsteps of progression; the waters that are for the healing of the nation, are being disturbed; the day-star of victory is at hand.

The past year has been full of interest, and much has been accomplished toward the great end—the overthrow of the liquor traffic. The Crusade have worked on in the different departments, doing the best that is given them to do.

> Though rough may be the way,
> And the sky be overcast,
> If we only work together,
> We shall brave the storm at last.

Business meeting every Wednesday afternoon, which is followed by a prayer meeting, and to this hour of devotion the public are cordially invited to attend. Every Sunday evening a Gospel Temperance Meeting is held in the Reading Rooms; always well attended and we believe them productive of much good.

Jail meetings every other Sabbath alternating with the Y. M. C. A. We have distributed in the jail one thousand and nine hundred newspapers and fifty magazines, besides tracts and leaflets.

All reading matter is carefully selected and the best newspapers given, those containing the news of the day, and all magazines or books are of the best obtainable. We are grateful for reading matter for this department of our work, and our friends would confer a favor by leaving reading for this department at our rooms on Franklin street, simply designating "For the Jail." The excursion to Islesboro drew a large party. The day was fine and all pronounced it a success, and from it something was added to our treasury.

The annual Fair held November 17 and 18 was a success. The large patronage extended, the donations of articles for the tables and also money, was very gratifying, well repaying us for all our hard labor in the results, thus giving us means for carrying on our work.

Christmas trees for poor children were held in City Hall, December 23d. It required three large trees for the presents, beside a table. The trees were handsomely decorated and the presents also and useful. One hundred and fifty parents and children were served with a nice supper, and all had something to take home. The public were generous in donations of money, articles for the trees, and also for the refreshment tables. We can only express our thanks for all this thoughtful kindness, for without it I fear we could not have made the Christmas a success for the little ones. The evening was made pleasant with a short entertainment for the children, and appropriate for Christmas. It takes so little to make a child happy, and should another year witness a like gathering we bespeak your kindness for the same.

Since the formation of the Crusade they have ever been watchful over poor families and relieved their wants as much as possible. During the past year, three hundred and seventy-nine articles of clothing, fifteen pieces of furniture, one carpet, dishes, and some money have been distributed. These do not include the Christmas tree.

So let us remember, "The poor ye have always with you," and do according to your means.

Children's meetings are held the last Friday in each month. Let the children be taught at home, in the public schools, and then come together in a meeting of their own, with their temperance songs and recitations, they feel they are at work with us, and the good influence thrown around them may be for a life time.

One pleasant feature of the jail work is the observance of Floral Sunday. This is held in June; then all over our land the sweet breath of flowers is in every jail and prison, silent messengers that speak to the heart, bringing back the innocent days of childhood with a softening influence. For in every heart there is a responsive chord if only touched aright.

During the past year death has taken from us, two dear sisters, Mrs. Walter Brown and Miss Jane Smith. Mrs. Brown was with us at the formation of the Crusade, and in its earlier years was an active member whose good judgment and prudent counsel were invaluable. In later years, sickness in her family occupied all her time, but her generous donations showed we were never forgotten or the cause she held so dear. Sister Smith was ever at her post, and nothing save the inclemency of the weather could keep her from the meetings; her place was always filled. She was quiet and unassuming, yet her gentle influence was felt by all and it can be truly said, "She hath done what she could."

> Let us draw their mantle o'er us
> Which have fallen in our way;
> Let us do the work before us
> Earnestly, while we may,
> Ere the long night silence cometh
> When with us it is not day.

The excellent care given our Reading Rooms has been perfectly satisfactory to the Trustees, they are pleasant and kept well warmed and lighted. THE BANGOR WHIG AND COURIER, *Commercial*, and the Boston *Herald*, are daily visitors. These, with the many good weekly papers, supply abundant reading. We trust our rooms may outlive the saloon, or at least counteract its influence.

All meetings appointed by the State and National Unions have been observed. We believe in the work of reform. The pledge is the door of escape, the gateway that leads to home and happiness. Our duty is to be useful, not according to our desires, but according to our powers.

How blessed it will be to witness this great victory when our beautiful country is free from the curse of strong drink; but how much more to know you have helped to bring it about.

The temperance movement is the pure gold of the nineteenth century, no dross, for its every feature is for the protection and elevation of home, and that means a people whose God is the Lord.

To you, brothers of the Reform Club, we still look for assistance in our meetings, trusting we may work in the future as unitedly as in the past, and wherever a kind word or a helping hand can save a fallen brother, see that it is done, and leave the results with Him who said, "Inasmuch as ye have done it unto the least of these ye have done it unto Me."

We return thanks for free copies of the BANGOR DAILY WHIG, and Bangor Daily *Commercial*, for our Reading Rooms, and also for the many courtesies extended by them for numerous items printed. Our thanks are due for weekly papers sent our rooms free of charge.

Mrs. H. E. Prentiss is still our yearly collector, and we trust her many friends will help her make the coming year a success as former years have been.

Let us in simple faith lay hold of the power of prayer, but mingled with the work that is nearest, and do it with a conscience void of offence. We will not look back into the past save to retrieve the errors we have made, but go forward with hopeful hearts to meet the future, knowing our work to be right, remembering we have no time promised save the present. Our many friends have helped to lighten the burdens of the past year, and wherever good has been accomplished the recording angel well knows to whom it belongs.

The past year has gone from us with all its hopes, its fears, and opportunities; the wheels of time can never be reversed to bring them back, once they are gone. Let us all remember the present time is the time to work.

> If we knew to-night that an angel—
> The angel of death—would come
> To bring us a message from heaven,
> And a call to our heavenly home,
> Could we gladly lay down our labor
> And say that our work was done?

S. J. PICKARD,

Secretary Woman's Temperance Crusade.

Under the cross for God and humanity.

Bangor, March 26, 1888.

CITY REPORTS.

Report of Board of Health.

To the City Council:—

We herewith submit our first annual report of the Board of Health of the City of Bangor, for the year ending March 12th, 1888:

The Board has done a large amount of work this year. Much of the work that has been accomplished does not show in our report, for the best work is done in the cases of prevention of the spread of contagious diseases. The doctors have reported very promptly all cases of contagious diseases, and have co-operated with the Board very heartily in trying to prevent the spread of the same. We have not found a case of scarlet fever or diphtheria but what has been reported. We are happy to congratulate you and the citizens of Bangor upon the general good health of our city. During the year we have had fifteen cases of diphtheria, seven proving fatal, fifteen cases scarlet fever, all in a light form, a few cases of typhoid fever, but nothing in the form of an epidemic. The number of deaths from diphtheria have been less than last year; also the number of deaths from other causes. The number of deaths last year amounted to four hundred and six, this year, three hundred and twenty-nine. We realize the benefits and blessings of our excellent supply of water more and more every year, and we are glad to see our citizens introducing the water into their houses so fast, and doing away with their old cisterns and wells. A large number of old privies have been removed and water closets connected with the sewers have been put in place of them. A large number of dead animals have been taken care of. Much has been done in a sanitary point of view the past year. In building sewers seven thousand three hundred and sixty-eight feet has been constructed, all of which was very much needed. The finishing of Sanford street sewer was one of the most important. Eighty-three house and sink drains have been connected with the sewer this year, which adds to the cleanliness of our city very much. We hope the incoming City Government will see the importance and necessity this year of commencing an intercepting sewer at the foot of Exchange street. In removing the east side drainage from Kenduskeag stream, into which all the filth on the east side now empties, polluting its water and sending disease and death through all parts of the city. We hope this will receive your especial attention. Sixth street sewer should be extended through Warren street, the extension to connect with the Fifth street sewer, this being also a very filthy locality. A sewer is very much needed on Patrick street from York to Hancock street, this being a very bad place, also a sewer on May and Pleasant streets, also on Davis street from Jefferson street to Kenduskeag avenue. Pier street sewer should be extended this year, as it empties now in a low, wet place, and is causing a good deal of trouble. A new sewer should be built this year from Hammond street to City Hall and Police Station, as the present one is too small to take care of the drainage, it has been a source of trouble and expense all the year. A sewer is needed on East Market Square from Exchange street to Kenduskeag bridge, a piece of sewer should be built on the upper end of Davis brook each year until the brook is covered, as it is a very filthy, unhealthy place, and there is much complaint from it by the people in that vicinity. Meadow Brook sewer remains the same as it did one year ago, nothing having been done to it. It needs your attention. During the past year a drain has been laid and water has been introduced into the school house on Salem Court and a very nice arrangement of water closets. We hope the Pearl street school house will be served in a like manner this year. We are glad to note the improvements being made in the sanitary condition of our school houses each year. We find our Alms House in an excellent sanitary condition, clean and well kept. The Pest House has been used for two cases of diphtheria this year, two men that were brought here sick with it from out of town.

We wish to express our hearty thanks to our citizens and especially to our physicians, who have so heartily co-operated with us in our work; also to the City Government and officials for their kindness.

Respectfully submitted,

D. A. ROBINSON,

A. R. TASEY,

JOHN GOLDTHWAIT,

Board of Health.

Bangor, March 12th, 1888.

High-Priced Trotters.

NEW ENGLAND STOCK COMING TO THE FRONT—HOW WELLESLEY BOY JUMPED IN VALUE FROM $50 TO $16,000—SOME OF THE FAMOUS FLYERS, THEIR RECORDS AND WHAT WAS PAID FOR THEM.

Special attention is being paid at the present time in New England to the breeding of fine-blooded, rapid-motion horses. Kentucky has been considered a favored spot for such purpose in the past, and it still maintains its high record. Its climate is softer and has been considered much better adapted for the growth and development of horses of a pure strain. New Englanders now, however, are coming to believe that, given a good fountain head, the stock can be raised here with almost, if not equally as good results, as in Kentucky. Stock farms are being established in every neighborhood, and it is the desire of everybody of means, and some who have none, to sit behind a high, fast-stepping, snapping nag which will throw dust into every competitor's eyes on the road. But it costs money to own such animals, as the following facts of prices paid and asked will show.

Robert Bonner's stable holds the list, perhaps, as he has a dozen or more horses for which he has paid from $10,000 to $50,000 apiece, Dexter costing the latter price. A good story is told of one of his horses, Wellesley Boy. This horse was bred by Mr. Hogg, of Hogg, Brown and Taylor, Boston. He was a gawky animal, resembling perhaps the proverbial singed cat, and was fairly hated by his owner, who put him off out of sight in a distant pasture. One day an Irishman passing by the field saw the horse, and bought him for $50. The new owner sold the steed for $800 to James Gray, of Wellesley, the well-known real estate dealer, who gave him the name above stated, and, after "campaigning" him on the track for a couple of years, with good success, sold him to Bonner for $16,000.

Little Brown Jug was another of these unsightly jewels of rare worth. He was sold for $35, which is about the average price of Brighton horses. Three or four years later this despised gelding was sold for $18,000, having developed rare qualities as a pacer.

Another of these surprises is the stallion Wedgewood. This beautiful animal was sold by W. P. Balch, of Boston, to J. S. Clark, of New Jersey. Clark was a small, sickly-looking man, and when he paid $12,000 for the horse all the highly-posted horsemen of the vicinity laughed heartily in their sleeves, for it was thought the animal was not worth half the price paid, and Mr. Balch was congratulated on his

YANKEE LUCK.

Very well. Mr. Clark quartered Wedgewood at the Bates farm, in Watertown, for stock purposes. The first year he netted $8,200, the next four years $10,000 per annum, and then his owner sold him to a Southern syndicate for $25,000. When the high bred horse was led through the streets of Watertown on his way to the South, the town assessors stood in the door of the Town House and wept bitterly, for he was assessed for $10,000.

In Wedgewood's old home at the Bates farm stands a recent purchase which is exciting great interest from its rare quality and small size. It is called Little Giant, and is supposed to be the property of Todd Brothers, of Calais, Me. Its cost was $15,000.

There has been a marked interest in one-year-old colts of late. One of these, the Palo Alto Belle, bred on Governor Sanford's farm in California, was sold recently for $8,000. S. S. Clark paid in Kentucky last fall $5,000 for Sady D. Clark, another of those yearlings, who trotted a mile in 2.36½, then the fastest record, which has been lowered by Governor Sanford's horse to 2.31½.

The stallion Governor Sprague was purchased by J. I. Case, the "Jay Eye See" man, for $27,500. It has a record of 2.20. Bell Boy, a four-year-old colt, sired by Electioneer out of Green Mountain, recently sold for $35,000.

A half interest in Sultan, with a record of 2.24, was sold last summer for $35,000.

Alcantara and Alcyone, brothers, sold for $50,000 to Elizur Smith, of Lee, Mass., a few years since. Alcyone died last summer. One of Alcantara's colts, Alcogetta, owned by Mr. Gilbert, of Connecticut, made a two-year-old record of 2.31 at the breeders' meeting, Mystic Park, last fall, and its owner was offered, and refused $5,000 for it directly after the race.

The brood mare Naiad Queen sold at auction for $5,050 at a Kentucky sale last month; Pencoast at auction for $28,000, and Nutwood sold in same way for $22,000.

Alderman Lexington sold one of Wedgewood's colts for $2,600, and there are many of this stock in this vicinity held at from $500 to $2,400. General Paine of Volunteer fame has a number of these, which it would be difficult to buy; there are several at the Bates farm, three at J. R. Farnum's stable in Waltham and others elsewhere. They are large, good color and finely gaited.

Commonwealth cost J. R. Farnum $8,000, afterwards he was offered $10,000 for the stallion, refused, and the horse died though not of a broken heart. That same year two other of his horses died, and in all $15,000 worth of stock was swept away. He paid $2,000 for Ed Chapin, $15,000 for Rose Standish, $1,100 for Old Lady Wilkes, dam of Eddie Wilkes, 2.29 record and 2.22 trial heat, sired by Commonwealth, 2.22. He has also Frank Wood and Kinsman Wilkes, valuable stallions, his stable containing 25 blooded stock.

HARRY WILKES

was purchased by the Dominion government for $4,500, a low price. He was taken to Nova Scotia for stock purposes, and his original owner tried to buy him back for $15,000, but did not succeed.

C. H. Nelson of Waterville, Me., has a dozen stallions, besides brooding mares, valued in all at $75,000. He recently purchased a Kentucky stallion for $4,000, and he sold a half interest in Nelson, when a three-year old, for $6,000.

Old Smuggler sold for $30,000, and Maud S. cost Bonner $40,000.

Westmont, who made a mile in 2.01¾, with running mate, sold for 25,000.

Brown Hal, 2.13 record, could probably be sold for a higher price than any other stallion for stock purposes, but is not for sale.

Harry Wilkes, a gelding, now in California, has changed hands at fabulous prices, a half interest having been sold for $30,000.

The Wilkes strain is in high favor at present. The original was George Wilkes, of Kentucky, record 2.22. In his day, 2.24 to 2.29 was the fastest record known, and Ethan Allen was then the king pin of New England. These two met on the race course. The Yankees bet their money on the bobtailed nag, and when Wilkes won, a barrel of money changed hands. Sam Emerson, of Natick, has a story he likes to tell about this famous race. Sam crawled under a fence, and his eyes bulged out dreadfully as he saw Wilkes make a private record of 2.18, preliminary to the race. He told some of his friends, and they succeeded in hedging on their bets, thus preventing financial disaster.

A despatch to the *Globe* recently stated that a syndicate in Maine, with which it is intimated that Nelson was concerned, offered California parties $50,000 for Guy Wilkes. It was refused and $60,000 asked. The stallion is still unsold.

How can people afford to keep such costly animals? Many on account of the revenue derived from stock and breeding purposes. The income is in many cases very large, as was stated in regard to Wedgewood, and pays a good percentage on the investment.

Some money is made on the race course, also. Of course there is great risk, horses are liable to die or prove failures, but this is the same in other lines of business. The net result is the improvement of stock generally, the standard raising year by year. Speed of the sire and his colts are what determine values to a large extent.

Mr. James Cochrane committed suicide at his home in Frankfort, Monday, by bleeding himself. He has not been well during the winter and it is believed that his mind was deranged. He leaves a wife, two sons and one daughter. Mr. Cochrane was a man esteemed by all.

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FRIDAY, MARCH 30, 1888.

FOURTH CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT.

Republican Convention.

The Republican Convention of the Fourth Congressional District will be held in City Hall, Bangor, Thursday, April 26th, at 9.30 A. M., for the purpose of nominating a candidate for Congress, also of selecting a candidate for Elector of President and Vice-President of the United States, and two delegates, and two alternates to attend the National Convention to be held at Chicago, Illinois, on Tuesday, June 19th, 1888, and transacting any business that may properly come before it.

The basis of representation will be as follows: Each city, town and plantation will be entitled to one delegate, and for each seventy-five votes cast for the Republican candidate for Governor in 1884, one additional delegate; and for a fraction of forty votes in excess of seventy-five votes, an additional delegate.

The District Committee will be in session in the Common Council Room at 8 o'clock on the morning of the Convention, for the purpose of receiving the credentials of delegates.

C. H. B. WOODBURY, Dover,
HORATIO KNOWLES, Stetson,
JAMES WEYMOUTH, Old Town,
A. LEUMBERT, Houlton,
A. C. PERRY, Presque Isle,
A. McCULLOUGH, Calais,
HENRY NASH, Addison.
Committee, Fourth Congressional District.

[illegible], March 24th, 1888.

Congressman Boutelle in compliance with a petition of the Eastport Board of Trade has secured an increase of mail service on Route 113 between Calais and Eastport to twelve times a week, to go into effect April 16th.

Ex-Governor Warmoth addressed a Republican mass meeting in Monroe, La., a few days ago, at which he told the audience that the best way in which to abolish the bloody shirt and sectional feeling is to give the South a free ballot and a fair count.

The Belfast Age continues to scold about the Stevenson's case as a prohibitory outrage, but conveniently shuts its eyes to the fact called to its attention by The Whig that the foreman of the jury was that old wheel horse of the Democracy, Gen. James Butler.

One of the reasons for the growing belief that the Republicans may have a fighting chance in North Carolina this year is that the Democratic party has increased the expenses of the State government from $765,000 to more than $1,000,000. The farmers are indignant.

The assurance of ex-Senator Harrison that Indiana will cast her electoral vote for the nominee of the National Republican Convention, no matter who he may be, has the melody of real music about it. That is the sort of talk the country wants to hear from Indiana this year.

If Mr. Cleveland is nominated just with the happy the help of Mr. Randall and his followers is going to be welcomed.—*Youngstown Age* (D.)

Yes, Mr. Randall will be courted just as he was in 1884 and the papers that are denouncing him will be the first to solicit his support. Such is Democracy. Mr. Randall, however, will find that the people now know the President for a free trader and cannot be hoodwinked again.

Alabama,
Missouri,
Kentucky,
Arkansas,
Tennessee,

How is that for a Democratic pyramid? Pretty solid Democratic States, every one of them, aren't they? Every one of them has been Africanized and robbed by dishonest Democratic State officials within the past ten years. This year they are expected to boom for Cleveland and reform.—*Plymouth Free Press.*

It appears that one of the principal owners and a director of the Providence *Journal* Publishing Company has been elected a delegate to the National Democratic Convention. This accounts for the milk in the cocoanut. The *Journal* is trying to serve two masters at the same time, and has many of the characteristics of the Mugwumps, being a champion of the Mills free trade bill, but evidently thinks it can better the Democrats better service by sailing under false colors than as an independent Republican paper still.

The Democrats after having denounced the Republicans for wasteful extravagance for a good many years have just reported the largest River and Harbor bill ever presented to Congress. As will be seen by reference to another column it has been judiciously apportioned to make friends for the President's raid on the tariff, the idea being that as the bill has been framed to aid the ends of the free traders it will receive Mr. Cleveland's approval, this being a Presidential year, notwithstanding the fact that it appropriates more money than the bill he vetoed last year.

The Whig views with alarm the prospect, "that, with a Democratic President for the next four years, (an assured fact by the way) six of the nine seats upon the Supreme Bench, would be filled by Democrats." Well, there's nobody scared except The Whig and the New York *Tribune*.—*Commercial.*

With the appointment of L. Q. C. Lamar fresh in the public mind a great many people outside The Whig and *Tribune* offices realize the danger to the Court should Mr. Cleveland have an opportunity to juggle with it during another term. If our contemporary feels that the election of a Democratic President is an assured fact, it might intimate as much to the writer in the New York *World* who is looking around for a Democrat with the courage of his convictions, having $10,000 ready to wager on the result.

Who is raising all this racket about free trade? Who has ever proposed free trade, or hinted that it is either practicable or desirable? The Democrats certainly have not, nor do they propose to.—*Boston Globe.*

So the Democratic organs said when the Morrison bill was pending, but after the measure was refused even consideration in the House the *Globe* jumped on it with both feet and said it was killed because the Democratic party was not yet ready to be committed to a free trade policy. Since the *Globe* has tried to outshine the *Herald* as an Administration organ it has become decidedly unsettled in its convictions on the tariff question. The Mills bill aims a blow at protection the effect of which would be to ruin the lumber business, the salt business, wool raising and other industries in which the people of the country are engaged and it matters little what the *Globe* is pleased to call it, the result is the same. President Cleveland with the aid of the patronage at his disposal may succeed in forcing the destructive bill through the Democratic House, but when it comes to the people he will find that the *New York Herald* never spoke truer words than when it said a great majority of the voters are protectionists.

Meanwhile Democratic members of the Committee are fortifying themselves for the battle to be fought in the House when the bill is reported.—*New York World.*

The method employed by the free trade members to fortifying themselves is shown in the following Washington despatch. "They have been casting about for votes and seeking to capture them by promises to modify the bill at the points where it pinches the most. Their treatment of the great industries of the country is like that which the victim of the highwayman gets. They put their hand at the throat of every enterprise that is dependent on protection, and when they find out that that they are likely to be beaten off by the combined efforts of those at whom they strike the deadliest blows they go about, pick out a few of those who care more for their own safety than for principle or the general good, and attempt to bribe them to help in the general destruction by promising in return to save those who are thus brought over from the general destruction."

Big Money for Votes.

THE DISTRIBUTION OF THE RIVER AND HARBOR BILL'S $19,000,000—NEARLY HALF GOES TO THE SOUTH—A JUDICIOUS APPORTIONMENT TO MAKE FRIENDS FOR THE ADMINISTRATION'S TARIFF SCHEME AND SECURE PARTY SUPPORT.

[Washington Despatch to the Philadelphia Press.]

The ban of secrecy was taken off the River and Harbor bill to-day and the official figures given out. The corrected figures are $19,432,783.13. Of this sum the thirteen Southern States of Virginia, West Virginia, North Carolina, South Carolina, Georgia, Florida, Alabama, Mississippi, Louisiana, Texas, Arkansas, Tennessee and Kentucky get, in round numbers, $9,000,000, or almost half. The specific appropriations for these States aggregate $5,180,900. Besides this $2,525,600 of the $4,253,250 appropriated to the Mississippi River and $500,000 of the $894,000 appropriated for the Missouri is for improvements located within these States. Louisiana stands in the list with a modest $152,000, which includes six appropriations for the improvement of bayous, but does not include $500,000 of the Mississippi appropriation, which is to be spent near the mouth of the river and as much more as may be. If this doesn't fetch the six Louisiana votes for the Mills bill, the Pelican representatives must be hard to satisfy.

Kentucky takes a big jump forward with $823,000, which is about equal to the whole appropriation for New England, and is considerably bigger than either Pennsylvania or Ohio gets. Ohio, however, is not badly taken care of. There are some doubtful Democratic votes in the Mills bill there, and the appropriations are judiciously scattered around to catch them. Congress in the nooks and corners of the Mississippi river appropriation are $79,000 to encourage the commerce of the port of Hickman, Ky., and $75,000 for Greenville, Miss. The amounts in most of the Southern States, as set down in the table below, speak for themselves.

MORE THAN ASKED FOR.

It may be worth while to note, however, that a comparison of the bill with the estimates of the Chief of Engineers shows that, while the full amounts asked for are not granted in many instances, no improvement asked for in Virginia is refused except a few small ones under $7,000, only one in West Virginia, none over $10,000 in North Carolina, one of $6,000 in Georgia, none in South Carolina, Florida, Mississippi, Arkansas or Kentucky, one each in Texas, Louisiana and Tennessee, replaced in each case with others. The engineer recommended $150,000 for Alabama's one harbor of Mobile, and the committee gives $250,000.

Michigan, which the Postmaster General has contracted to deliver to the Democrats, leads off with $2,151,000. It is a proper appropriation, but it would have waited a long while had the Democrats regarded it as a sure Republican State before getting it from this Democratic committee. New York gets $1,181,000, and the two Pacific coast States show $1,390,000 between them.

The one doubtful State which has been allowed to go hungry is New Jersey. The Democratic managers seem to have taken Senator McPherson's warning that if the President sent in a free trade message "he could count New Jersey out" into serious consideration. Looking the whole bill over one might well say of it, as Mr. McMullen said of the Mills tariff scheme, "it is a political bill."

TABLE OF DISTRIBUTION.

Following are the appropriations by States:

Maine,	$112,500	Louisiana, exclusive of Mississippi river)	
New Hampshire,	75,000		152,000
Vermont,	37,500	Texas,	1,012,500
Massachusetts,	452,000	Arkansas,	50,400
Rhode Island,	112,000	Tennessee,	90,500
Connecticut,	176,000	Kentucky,	823,000
New York,	1,181,000	Michigan,	2,151,000
New Jersey,	118,000	Wisconsin,	2,[illegible]
Pennsylvania,	594,750	Minnesota,	12,[illegible]
Delaware,	117,500	Indiana,	117,000
Maryland,	250,000	Illinois,	156,300
Virginia,	391,500	Ohio, (State)	490,400
West Virginia,	95,000	Ohio, (River)	501,000
North Carolina,	155,300	Missouri, (State)	35,000
South Carolina,	341,000	Missouri, (River)	15,000
Georgia,	381,000	California,	600,000
Florida,	275,000	Oregon,	479,000
Alabama,	325,000	Washington T.,	311,500
Mississippi, (State)	125,500		19,500
Mississippi, (river)	4,253,250		

WHO ARE LEFT OUT.

The five States not mentioned in the bill are Nebraska, Nevada, Iowa, Kansas and Colorado, but Iowa gets a bite of the Mississippi river pie. The one territory favored is Washington.

Special Notices.

ST. ANDREW'S LODGE

There will be a Stated Meeting of St. Andrew's Lodge, No. 83 F. and A. M. FRIDAY EVENING, at Masonic Hall, March 30, 1888, at 7¾ o'clock. Brethren are invited to attend.

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New Brunswick Ry. Co

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ARRANGEMENT OF TRAINS

IN EFFECT APRIL 2, 1888.

EASTERN STANDARD TIME.

Southern Division.

Leave St. John, 6.40 10 A. M., 8.45 A. M., 10.20 P. M.
Fredericton, 6.00
St. Andrews, 6.20
St. Stephen, 7.00, 11.50, 9.45

Northern Division.

Leave Edmundston, 12.50 P. M.
Grand Falls, 3.00
Presque Isle, 7.40 A. M., 2.50
Caribou, 8.15, 3.10
Fort Fairfield, 8.45, 3.50
Woodstock, 11.40, 5.30
Houlton, 11.40, 5.30

Arrivals.

Arrive Houlton, 4.50 A. M., 1.50 P. M.
Woodstock, 5.15, 1.54
Fort Fairfield, 9.35, 4.52
Caribou, 10.10, 5.20
Presque Isle, 10.35, 6.00
Grand Falls, 8.00
Edmundston, 10.30 A. M.
St. Stephen, 4.10, 1.15 P. M.
St. Andrews, 11.20, 4.20
Fredericton, 8.35, 2.15
St. John, 11.5.45, 12.20

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St. John, N. B., March 27th, 1888.

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Per Order of Water Board.

GEO. W. SNOW, Collector.

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Arrangement of Trains.



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[illegible] r Oldtown and Greenville.
Oldtown and Milford.
[illegible] Vanceboro and intermediate [illegible] to Oldtown with B. & P. Mixed.
Oldtown.
[illegible] express train for St. Stephen [illegible] ostook County and St. John, with St. John attached.

GOING WEST.

[illegible] Portland and Boston, via both [illegible], stopping at all stations, connecting Railroads at junction points [illegible] ostor attached.

[illegible] Yankee, for Augusta, Gardiner, Bath, Lewiston, Portland and [illegible] stops between Bangor and Waterville.

[illegible] NIGHT TRAIN for Portland and Boston via Augusta with Pullman sleeping cars attached.

12.45 P. M.—Mixed train for Waterville, connecting at Newport for Dexter, and Burnham for Belfast.

Night trains between Bangor and Boston run every night, Sundays included.

BUCKSPORT BRANCH.

7.25 A. M., 1.45 and 6.55 P. M. Arrive in Bucksport at 8.35 A. M., 3.25 and 8.05 P. M.

Leave Bucksport at 6.40 and 11.00 A. M., and 4.50 P. M. Arrive in Bangor at 6.50 A. M., 1.15 and 6.05 P. M.

MT. DESERT BRANCH.

Trains leave Bangor at 5.30 A. M., 8.10 A. M. (freight) and 6.30 P. M. for Ellsworth and Bar Harbor, steamer running to Bar Harbor from evening train in pleasant weather only, and at 1.35 P. M. for Ellsworth and Mt. Desert Ferry.

Trains leave Bar Harbor (steamer) at 4.15 and 10.10 A. M., and 4.15 P. M., Mt. Desert Ferry, 5.00 and 11.00 A. M., 1.00 and 5.35 P. M. Ellsworth, 5.37 and 11.35 A. M., 2.00 and 6.10 P. M., arriving in Bangor at 7.00 A. M., 12.55, 4.15 and 7.35 P. M.

Sunday trips between Bangor and Bar Harbor will begin May 20th.

ARRIVALS.

Through Trains from the East arrive at 6.20 A. M., 1.05 and 7.10 P. M. From B. & P. R. R., 11.40 A. M. and 6.25 P. M. From Oldtown, other than above, 7.55 A. M., and 2.15 P. M.

From the West—arrive at 5.30 and 11.48 A. M., 6.05 P. M.; Sunday paper train at 11.20 A. M.

NOTE.—Time of arrival and departure here given is that at Maine Central Depot, for Exchange St. a slight difference should be allowed.

Through Tickets to principal points East and West by all routes are on sale at the M. C. Ticket Office. For Pullman Berths or information call on or telephone A. W. Benson, Ticket Agent.

PAYSON TUCKER, Vice Pres't and Gen'l Manager.

F. E. BOOTHBY, Gen. Pass. and Ticket Agent.

March 29th, 1888.

NEW YORK & BANGOR S. S. LINE.

Will Dispatch the

A. I STEAMER

"LUCY P. MILLER,"

From Pier 15, East River, New York,

Wednesday, April 4th,

FOR BUCKSPORT.

F. H. SMITH & CO., Gen'l Managers, 31 South Street, New York.
H. C. QUIMBY & CO., Eastern Agents, 19 Exchange Street, Bangor.

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THE WILEY STUDIO,

115 Main Street.

1888.

CITY OF BANGOR.

Assessors' Notice.

The inhabitants of the City of Bangor and others having Taxable Property within said City, are hereby notified and requested to bring in to the undersigned, Assessors of said City, true and perfect lists of their polls and of all their estates, real and personal, including money on hand, and all money loaned or property hypothecated, upon mortgages, bonds, notes, due bills and merchandise, or in any other way invested that interest or other consideration shall be paid or become due thereon, debts due more than owing, and all property in trust as Guardian, Executor, Administrator, or otherwise, (except such as is by law exempt from taxation), which they are possessed of on the first day of April instant, and to be prepared to substantiate the same by oath.

All persons owning Real Estate, whose property was assessed in the wrong name, or by a wrong description, in the inventory of 1887, or who have purchased or sold Real Estate within the past year, will call at the Assessors' office during the period specified below, and have the proper corrections and transfers made for 1888.

And for the purpose of receiving said Lists and making transfers of Real Estate, the undersigned will be in session at their office during the business hours of each day, in the

Assessors' Room, City Hall Building, from the 1st to the 15th

inclusive, of April instant, Sundays excepted, and any personal examination of property by the Assessors will not be considered as a waiver for neglect of any person in bringing in true and perfect lists as required by law.

Blank Schedules may be had at the Assessors' Office.

Those persons who neglect to comply with this notice will be debarred by law from appealing from the decision of the Assessors, on their application for abatements.

S. C. HATCH,
THOS. S. MOOR,
CHAS. AMES, Assessors

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Endowment Policy.

When life insurance appears in the form of an endowment policy, the feature of a provision for the insured person's old age is added to the provision for his family. Even in this form it is at least as certain, more certain and as much entitled to public consideration as savings bank deposits.—*Buffalo Courier.*

I respectfully invite examination of the new Endowment policies issued by the

Connecticut Mutual Life Ins. Co.

Paid up cash values attached to each policy. Call and see

H. N. FAIRBANKS, General Agent,

BANGOR, MAINE.

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A Full Line

CLEAN-FAST-HOSIERY.

(J. P. ROBINSON DYE.)

JOUVIN KID GLOVES.

McCALL'S BAZAR PATTERNS.

HALL'S BAZAR DRESS FORMS.

At the Bangor Agency.

E. H. HALL,

28 Main Street.

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ACCOUNTS AND CLAIMS.

The Committee on Accounts and Claims will be in session at the Aldermen's Room, City Hall, on the MONDAY next preceding the First Tuesday of each month, at 3 o'clock P. M., for the purpose of auditing bills against the city. Bills must be left with the City Clerk or the Committee, on or before that date. Bills must be approved by the Committee and officer of the Department under which the same was contracted before being presented.

F. O. BEAL, Chairman.

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ITS WONDERFUL POWER AS A BLOOD Purifier.—Mr. J. L. Sabine, Jr., of 71 Pearl street, Bangor, was a great sufferer from Scrofula Humor in the throat. He says: "It would gather about three times a year and make me very sick. At one time I did not swallow a particle of food or water for three days. I had been told a good many times that I could not be cured, but three bottles of Bell's Sarsaparilla removed every trace of the disease three years ago." mar20

Penobscot Farmers' Club.

There will be a meeting of the Club at Queen City Grange Hall, Six Mile Falls, Bangor, Saturday, April 7th, at 10 o'clock A. M.

Subject—The establishment of a Corn Canning Factory.

All interested in agricultural pursuits are cordially invited to attend. Picnic dinner.

J. E. SHAW, Secretary.

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Assessors' Notice.

TOWN OF BREWER.

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Brewer and all Persons Liable to be Assessed Therein:

You are hereby notified that the Assessors will be in session at their office in the Town House in said town, on Monday, the second day of April next, at nine o'clock A. M., for the purpose of receiving true and perfect lists of the polls and all the estates, real and personal, not by law exempt from taxation, which you are possessed of on the first day of April in said town of Brewer, which lists you are required to make and bring in.

F. E. COLLINS,
J. C. LONG,
C. J. BURR,
Assessors of Brewer.

Brewer, March 22d, 1888.

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MRS. E. STEVENS'

MILLINERY PARLORS,

are now located at 124 HAMMOND STREET, opposite the "Lowder."

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A Handy Thing to Have About the House,

THE NEW PATENT

Extension Step Ladder,

—FOR SALE BY—

MARSTON & GORHAM.

3 STATE STREET.

Also Agents for Crockett's Varnishes.

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Private School.

The Spring Term of Miss Webb's School will open Monday, April 9th, at No. 3, Ohio Street.

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COUPON BONDS.

Portland City 6s, due	1897
Portland Water Co. 4s, due	1927
Idaho Territory 6s, due	1905

For Full Particulars and Price, apply to

Blake, Barrows & Brown,

BANKERS,

No. 9 Central Street,

BANGOR, ME.

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LOST.

A small black and tan dog with white spot on his breast. Answers to the name of Jack. Last seen Tuesday on State Street. Any one returning him will be suitably rewarded.

C. F. BRAGG, 45 Grove Street.

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DIED.

In this city, March 28th, Charles, infant son of John H. and Mary H. Flanigan, aged 4 months and 19 days.

In Amherst, March 26th, Jpo. L. Arder, aged 21 years, 9 months and 17 days.

Funeral at 2 P. M., Saturday, from his late residence.

In Jamaica Plain, Mass., March 25, Mrs. Eunice S. Cushman, mother of Mrs. William P. Anderson, a resident of Bangor in 1872-74. The mother of Mr. Anderson died in Roxbury, March 5th.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL.

Monetary Quotations.

NEW YORK, March 29. Money ranging on call from 2a3 per cent., closing at 2 a 3. Prime Mercantile paper 5 a 7. Sterling Exchange steady—[illegible] for days and [illegible] for demand. Government bonds quiet. Railroad bonds quiet.

STOCKS.

Adams Express,	140	Oregon Trans Cont'l	18
American Express	106	Pacific Mail	30
Central Pacific	28	Panama	
Ches. & Ohio	1	Pullman Palace	137
Chicago & Alton	133	Reading	
preferred	150	Rock Island	108
Chic Bur & Quincy	118	St Louis & San Fran	22
Del Hudson	101	Preferred	61
Del Lack	125	1st preferred	101
Den & Rio Grande	17	St Paul	70
Erie	24	Preferred	111
preferred	54	St Paul Minn & Man	10
Ill Central	115	St Paul & Omaha	3
Ind Bloom & West	9	Preferred	103
Lake Erie & West	12	Texas Pacific	21
Lake Shore	88	Union Pacific	51
Louisville & Nash	53	U S Express	72
Manhattan El	85	Wabash, St L & Pac	12
Mich Cen	77	Preferred	21
Minn & St L	4	Western Union	73
Preferred	11	BONDS	
Mo Pacific	75	Tenn 6s	100
N J Cent	75	4s coup	126
Northern Pac	20	4½s reg	106
Preferred	43	4½s coup	107
Northwestern	103	Cen Pac 1sts	114
Preferred	139	Den & Rio G 1sts	121
N Y Cent	105	Erie Seconds	97
N Y Chic & St L	15	Kan Pac Consols	1
Preferred	63	Oregon Nav 1sts	1
Ohio Cent		Union Firsts	113
Ohio & Miss	19	Union Land Grants	
Ont. & West	15	Union Sink Fund	

New York Produce Market.

NEW YORK, March 29. FLOUR—Receipts,[illegible], exports,5,383—sales,61,000—No 2, 3 00a3 40; superfine Western and State,2 40a3 25; common to good extra Western and State, 2 85a3 35; good to choice do, 3 40a4 65, common to good extra Ohio, 2 95a4 50; common to choice white wheat Western, extra, 4 25a4 90; common to choice extra St. Louis 2 90a4 90, City mill extra, 4 40 a 4 60; winter wheat extra, 2 85a 3 00, Minnesota extra, 2 85a 4 90. Southern steady—sales 150—Common to fair extra, 3 40a4 20; good to choice, do, 4 [illegible].

Rye flour steady.

WHEAT—receipts, 11,000, exports, [illegible], sales, [illegible], No. 2 Chicago, [illegible], No. 2 Red, [illegible], No. 3 Red, [illegible] No. 1 Red, [illegible], No. 1 white [illegible].

Rye dull.

BARLEY dull—sales 7,000—No. 1 Canada, 1.04.

CORN—sales 55,000—No. 2 [illegible], steamer, [illegible], elevator, [illegible], No. 2 [illegible], elevator.

OATS—Receipts 63,000, exports [illegible], sales 97,000; No. 3, 33½ [illegible], white, 40 a 41, No. 2, [illegible]; do. white, 41½ a 42; No. 1, [illegible], do white, 44a45; mixed western, 3[illegible]a41, white do 41a46.

MOLASSES—sales 00 bbls—Orleans,

SUGAR firm—Standard A, 6 5-16 a, granulated, 6⅝ a 6, powdered, 7 a 0 0.000, cut loaf 7.00, crushed, 7 a [illegible] confectioners, 7 11 16a0; yellow, 5⅛ a [illegible].

PETROLEUM—United, 87¾ a 00, refined, 00 crude in barrels, [illegible].

TALLOW steady—sales 00 lbs, 00, chloted, 00.

PORK steady—sales 000 bbls—Mess, [illegible] old, 15.75a16.00 new.

Beef dull.

LARD firm—Western steam, 0.00 a 7.97½, refined 7.90a8.00, cont., 8.00a8.00.

BUTTER steady—Western, 14 a 31, State, 17 a 21; Creamery, 27a28.

CHEESE firm—State, 11¾a00, Western, 12¾ a 00.

Chicago Produce Market.

CHICAGO, March 29. Flour steady.

WHEAT—Regular, 00 a 00, No. [illegible] Chicago Spring, 72¾a72⅞; No. 3 Spring, 0.00, No. 2 Red, 81½.

CORN—No. 2, 51½ a 00.
OATS—No. 2, 27¾a30.
RYE—No. 2 00a59.
BARLEY—No. 2, 77a80.
LARD—0.00a7.60½.
PORK—Mess, 13.20a13.35.

Horses for Sale.

Brown & Dillingham have just received a full lot of horses, both heavy and driving horses. Can be seen at their stable.

BILLINGS AVENUE, Hammond Street.

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DANDELION GREENS,

Spinach Greens, Lettuce, Radishes, Parsnips and Sweet Potatoes, at

CHAS. YORK & CO.'S.

9 and 11 Granite Block.

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SPRING PAPER HANGINGS

Now Opening by

D. BUGBEE & CO.

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Mark Down Sale of Gloves

FOR EASTER!

One Lot Dogskin from $2.25 to $1.75. One Lot in Black and Colors from $2.00 to $1.50. An Elegant Glove for $1.00 WARRANTED. A Lot of Bon Marche Gloves, No. 1, in Beautiful Shades, Modes and Grays. The Finest Line of Gloves Ever Seen in Bangor. The Full Foster Line, AT THE GLOVE STORE.

I. & R. Morley's English Hosiery, Clean and Fast, WARRANTED. F. P. Robinson's Extra Heavy Ribbed for Boys, Warranted.

SNOW & COMPANY, 37 and 39 Main Street.

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$ Home Investments. $

Very Desirable and Paying.

Better Interest than Savings Banks.

For Sale by

BOWLER & MERRILL, Bankers,

And Proprietors of the

Bangor Safe Deposit Vaults,

$ No. 7 Kenduskeag Block, - - Bangor. $

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BUTTERICK'S PATTERNS.

APRIL PATTERNS NOW READY.

Spring Catalogue free; April Fashion Sheets free; April "Delineator," 15 cents, April "Review," 5 cents. Spring and Summer Large Metropolitan Catalogue, 25 cents; Butterick's Patterns and Publications mailed for the price, by Special Agent

C. W. COFFIN, 19 Main Street, Bangor, Maine.

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SPRING - - STYLES!

Silk, Soft and Stiff Hats!

—OF THE—

CELEBRATED WILCOX MAKE.

GENTS' DRESS AND DRIVING GLOVES!

IN THE LATEST SPRING COLORS.

PRICES - - LOW!

Adams Bros. Kend. Bridge.

PRACTICAL HATTERS.

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Monday, March 26th,

—OUR—

NEW SPRING STOCK

Will be open for inspection. Full line of New Goods in every department, in Low Priced, Medium and Fine Goods.

Gilt Room Papers from 15c to $2.50 Per Roll.

Carpetings from 15c to $1.40 Per Yard.

Draperies from $2.75 to $20.00 Per Pair.

Bear in mind that the early selections are the Most Desirable

A. H. ROBERTS & SONS.

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NEW SPRING GARMENTS, ENGLISH JACKETS AND MANTLES NOW OPEN.

J. T. RINES & CO.

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Push Will Tell.

ALWAYS TO THE FRONT.

$50,000

WORTH OF

FINE CLOTHING

Under one Roof. The place to buy is where you can have the LARGEST STOCK to select from. Our entire

New Spring Stock In!

We invite COMPARISON and defy COMPETITION. Our Large Sales enable us to sell at LOW PRICES. 38 different styles of

YOUNG MEN'S NOBBY SPRING SUITS at $10.00,

Sold everywhere else at $12.50. You want to see these; they are extra good value.

A Beautiful Stock of Spring Overcoats at

J. WATERMAN'S

"Boss" Clothing House.

73, 75 and 77 Exchange St.

SIGN OF THE DRESSED MAN.

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WANTED.

Male and Female Laborers in want of employment, should correspond or apply at the Bar Harbor Employment Agency.

Z. B. CHASE, Manager, Bar Harbor, Maine.

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PEOPLES

Fire Insurance Co.,

OF MANCHESTER, N. H.

Cash Capital,	$250,000.00
Gross Assets,	496,331.35
Total Liabilities, (except Capital)	239,293.00
Surplus to Policy Holders,	257,041.20
Assets, Jan. 1, 1886,	$110,938.85
Assets, Jan. 1, 1887,	405,860.38
Assets, Jan. 1, 1888,	496,334.35

RICHARD KELLIHER & SON,

AGENTS, BANGOR.

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THE FIDELITY AND CASUALTY CO.,

OF NEW YORK.

Nos. 214 and 216 Broadway, N. Y.

Capital,	$250,000.00
Re-Insurance Reserve	300,843.04
Net Assets,	582,201.00

Issues SURETY BONDS guaranteeing the fidelity of persons in positions of trust, such as Employes of Railroads, Banks, etc., also Administrators, Guardians, etc.

Issues ACCIDENT POLICIES, containing all modern features.

Also PLATE GLASS POLICIES of approved forms.

OFFICERS.

WM. M. RICHARDS, President.
GEO. F. SEWARD, Vice President.
JOHN M. CRANE, Secretary.
ROBT. J. HILLAS, Ass't Secretary.

BLAKE, BARROWS & BROWN, Agts.

BANGOR, ME.

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BLANKS of every description printed, at the shortest notice, at the Whig and Courier Job Office.

B. A. BURR.

Houses and House Lots FOR SALE.

The undersigned offers for sale very low, three houses and twenty house lots on Garland and Birch streets.

GEO. W. LADD, No. 75 Exchange Street.

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THE AMERICAN CYCLOPEDIA.

APPLETON'S, (Revised Edition)

For Sale at

DAVID BUGBEE'S BOOK-STORE,

At Half Price.

$2.50 Per Volume.

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Revere House,

BOSTON.

Near Boston and Maine, Eastern, Fitchburg and Lowell depots, centres of business and places of amusement,

Remodelled, Refurnished, Newly Decorated, and now kept on the

EUROPEAN PLAN.

Rooms all large and comfortable, elegant suites, with baths attached; ample public parlors; gentlemen's cafe and billiard-room added, and first-class in every respect.

ROOMS FROM $1.00 A DAY UP.

J. F. MERROW & CO. Proprietors,

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NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

The Old Town Woolen Company are prepared to receive proposals for the construction of their brick mill, [illegible] ing shaft and boiler house, and [illegible] foundations, etc., the main building [illegible] month of April. Working drawings [illegible] cations of all will be ready for examination at the Treasurer's Office, Bangor, as soon as prepared. Further notice of the same will be [illegible] ticulars.

J. L. SMITH,
CHAS. HAMLIN, Treasurer.

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EASTERN TRUST

—AND—

BANKING COMPANY,

—OF—

BANGOR, MAINE.

Transacts All Kinds of Business Relating to Finance.

Loans funds on real estate or personal security. Buys and sells railroad, town, county and business corporation loans, stocks, bonds and investment securities in general.

Allows Interest on Deposits.

Receives deposits subject to check, upon which interest is allowed, and is by its charter made a legal depository for funds held by officers of towns, counties and courts, and persons holding funds in a fiduciary capacity. Discounts commercial paper, makes collections throughout the world and buys and sells foreign exchange.

Acts as executors of wills, administrator, guardian, or trustee to probate, assignee in insolvency, trustee under mortgages, and as fiscal agent of estates, municipal and business corporations and individuals.

FRANCIS H. CLERGUE, President.
SPRAGUE ADAMS, Vice-President.
GEORGE B. CANNEY, Secretary.
CHARLES D. CROSBY, Assistant Treas.

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HOUSE CLEANING SEASON

Is approaching and we wish to call the attention of Housekeepers to a few of the articles we have to assist them in their work.

Lightning Soap. Sapolio.
Powdered Pumice Stone.
Pumice Soap.
Amonia. Sand Soap.
And Soap of all Kinds,
Also Potash for Cleansing Sink Pipes,
Silver Soap, Electro-Silicon and Putz Pomade, for cleaning Silver, Brass, Marble, Plate Glass, &c.
Mops and Mop Sticks and Brushes of Every Description.

JAMES H. SNOW & CO.,

25 West Market Square.

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ARTISTS!

We have just unpacked the largest assortment of

Pottery for Decorating,

that ever was in Bangor, which we can sell very low. [illegible] Call and see us and [illegible] prices.

STUART BROS.

State Street, Bangor, Me.

Canned Goods!

—AT—

Low Prices!

PEACHES.

Light Syrup, 3 pound can,	18	cents
Good Syrup, 3 pound can,	20	"
California, 3 pound can,	25	"
Richardson & Robbins, (best in the world)	30	"

PINE APPLES.

Sliced, 2 pound can,	17	"
Grated, 2 pound can,	25	"
G. & D. grated, 2 pound can	30	"
California Pears, 3 pound can,	30	"
Strawberries, 2 pound can,	30	"
Blueberries, 2 pound can,	15	"
California Cherries, 3 pound can,	25	"
California Apricots, 3 pound can,	25	"
Best Tomatoe, 3 pound can,	13	"
Best Maine corn, 2 pound can,	13	"
Maine corn, 2 pound can,	10	"

PEAS.

[illegible] ch, per can,	15	"
Best small, per can,	20	"
Marrowfat, per can,	15	"

BEANS.

[illegible], 2 pound can,	17	"
Lima, 2 pound can,	13	"
Baked, 3 pound can,	15	"
Squash, 3 pound can	15	"
Squash, 2 pound can,	10	"
Pumpkin, 3 pound can	13	"
French Mushrooms,	25	"
Clams, 1 pound can,	10	"
Clams, 2 pound can,	15	"
Oysters, 1 pound can,	10	"
Oysters, 2 pound can,	15	"
Clam Chowder, 3 pound can	24	"
Lobster, 1 pound can,	15	"
Salmon, 1 pound can,	18	"
Best Salmon, 1 pound can,	21	"

Some of the above are small lots that we want to clean up before taking stock. Call soon before they are all sold.

TEA WHITE.

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Wall Papers

And Window Shades in all Styles and Prices, at

CHAS. HIGHT'S

BOOK STORE.

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Mount Hope Cemetery Corporation.

The annual meeting of the proprietors of Mount Hope Cemetery Corporation, will be held at the room of the Common Council, in the City of Bangor, on the first Monday in April (April 2d) 1888, at 10 o'clock A. M., for the choice of officers for the ensuing year, and for the transaction of any other business which may properly come before the meeting.

J. M. BRIGHT, Secretary.

Bangor, March 22d, 1888.

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NEW ALEWIVES,

First of the Season.

Don't Forget we are Selling a

CHOICE FLOUR

For $5.25 a Barrel,

—AT—

C. A. Averill & Co.'s,

Granite Block, East Market Square.

Two Doors From State St.

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Schooner for Sale.

Schooner "Baltic," a good lumber coaster, 80 tons burden, now lying at Winterport, will be sold low for cash. Apply in person or by letter to MRS. A. M. K. TREAT, Frankfort, Me.

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Entertainments.

CECILIA CLUB.

Musical Festival!

CITY HALL,

Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday,

April 3d, 4th and 5th.

PROGRAMME.

Tuesday Evening, Concert [illegible]
Mrs. M. H. STARKWEATHER, [illegible]
Full Chorus, [illegible]
[illegible]
Admission [illegible]

Wednesday Matinee, [illegible]
Full Chorus and [illegible]
Admission [illegible]

Wednesday Evening, [illegible]
BEETHOVEN CLUB [illegible]
Mr. W. J. [illegible]
[illegible]

Thursday Matinee, [illegible]
BEETHOVEN CLUB [illegible]
Admission [illegible]

Thursday Evening, [illegible]
Mrs. Helen Winslow [illegible]
[illegible]
Full Chorus and [illegible]
"GOLDEN LEGEND"
[illegible]

TWENTY-FIRST ANNUAL

EASTER MONDAY BALL!

[illegible]

NOROMBEGA HALL,

Monday Evening, Apr. 2d.

Music by [illegible] Orchestra.

[illegible]

THE

SORCERER,

April 19 and 20.

THE FOURTH

WILEY

Popular Concert

CITY HALL,

THURSDAY, [illegible]

Mons. ALFRED De SEVE

Mdme. De SEVE, [illegible]
Mr. E. L. JORDAN, [illegible]
Mr. A. G. RAY, [illegible]
[illegible]
Miss ANNIE WASGATT,

MISS DORA WILEY

SOPRANO

[illegible]



W. L. DOUGLAS

$3 SHOE FOR GENTLEMEN

[illegible]

T. LYFORD, Agent, Bangor.

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Undertakers' Notice.

JOHN KANE & CO.

Wish to inform the public [illegible]

22 EAST MARKET SQUARE,

for the purpose of carrying on the UNDERTAKING BUSINESS [illegible]

We have secured the services of [illegible]

Coffins, Caskets, Metallic Cases [illegible]

[illegible] standard.

[illegible] funeral and other [illegible]

We would respectfully solicit a [illegible] public patronage.

Open all hours of day and night.

Yours to serve,

JOHN KANE & CO.

Bangor, Feb. 20, 1888.

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750 HORSES.

—THE—

WEST END

STREET RAILWAY COMP'Y

OF BOSTON, MASS.,

Has for sale 750 horses, [illegible] our

Stable; 2000 Washington Street.

[illegible] can be purchased at private [illegible]

Tuesday, April 17th, 1888,

when the remainder will be sold at

Public Auction!

to the highest bidder.

Sale will take place at

Station, 2000 Washington St., Boston.

commencing at 10 o'clock, A. M.

D. F. LONGSTREET, Gen'l Manager.

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Whig and Co[urier]

FRIDAY, MARCH 30, [1888.]

BY TELEGRA[PH]

MAINE NE[WS]

FROM CASTINE.

Eggemoggin Reach Op[en]

[Special to the Whig and Cou[rier]]

CASTINE, March 29. Revenue [illegible] Woodbury passed through Eg[gemoggin] Reach, to-day, and it is open to [illegible]. This is the last thoroughfare [illegible] closes her winter's work.

FIRE AT DEXTER.

New Sash and Blind Factory [illegible]

DEXTER, March 29. Eldridg[e] [illegible] new sash and blind factory [illegible] early Thursday morning with [illegible] $10,000 to the firm, besides five [illegible] dollars' worth of tools of work [illegible] Electric Light Company's [illegible] [illegible] with the burned shops [illegible] and three hundred dollars. [illegible] probably be able to resume light [illegible] [illegible] or two. The fire caught [illegible] the basement, probably caused [illegible] from the boiler. [illegible]

FROM BIDDEFORD.

[illegible] Sentinel and Standard [illegible]

BIDDEFORD, March 29. The [illegible] Sentinel Weekly, edited [illegible] [illegible] Hanscom, has been sold [illegible] [illegible] of the Daily Standard [illegible] [illegible] May 1st will be issued [illegible] [illegible] of that paper.

AFLOAT WITHOUT DAMAGE.

Schooner W. A. Dobbs[illegible] of [illegible]

[illegible], Mass., March 29. [illegible] W. A. Dubuque, of Bangor, [illegible] ashore on Whites Bar, [illegible] was floated today undamaged.

FIFTIETH CONGRESS—First [Session]

Senate.

WASHINGTON, March 29. Mr. [illegible] [illegible] introduced a bill to establish [illegible] [illegible] of various reservations [illegible] [illegible] protection of the laws of the [illegible] [illegible] over [illegible]

[illegible]

The committee then rose and the House adjourned.

DARTMOUTH COLLEGE.

Students Selected to Compete for Prizes.

HANOVER, N. H., March 29. After competitive trial the following students were chosen from the Senior class to compete for the Rollins, Morse and Lockwood prizes at Commencement: C. L. Sawyer, Lee, N. H., C. A. Stokes, Denver, Col., A. M. Weeks, Gilmanton. The contestants from the Chandler Scientific Department will be R. B. Rand, Hanover, I. J. Reynolds, Claremont, B. K. Taylor, Washington.

College of Agriculture.

The following students in the New Hampshire College of Agriculture and Mechanic Arts were selected to compete, April 17th, for the prizes offered by ex-Governor Smith for excellence in oratory and reading: Speakers—M. B. Carr, North Haverhill; G. J. Sargent, Canterbury; J. W. Smith, Grafton; F. H. Colby, Hopkinton; D. C. Stone, Hartford, Vt. Readers—J. Y. Jewett, Guilford, J. P. Preston, W. E. Kelleher, P. Vian, Hanover, E. P. Stone, Cagnan.

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MAINE NEWS.

FROM CASTINE

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FROM BIDDEFORD

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[illegible] WITHOUT DAMAGE

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FIFTIETH CONGRESS First Session.

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College of Agriculture

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THE RAILROAD STRIKE.

A Riot in the Streets of Chicago.

The Strike Extending to Other Roads.

CHICAGO, March 29 The "Q" company have hired all the switchmen needed. All will be at work to-morrow afternoon There are a hundred in the city and ninety three will arrive from the Reading district in the morning No freight has been offered to any other roads except the Stock-yards Transit Company, the manager of which notified the freight agent of the Burlington Road that he was unable to do anything with "Q" cars because the company's switchmen would not touch them The probability of brakemen going out continues The Chicago, St Paul and Kansas City Road has 700 cars consigned to the Burlington road on its tracks Other roads are in a similar condition If the "Q" can't take care of its freight other roads will tender it all the freight on their hands to avoid a blockade At 4 30 P M a "Q" switch engine and crew attempted to transfer some freight cars to the North Western tracks

A Crowd of Switchmen

on other roads began to jeer the new men A McKenzie street and Western avenue train ran off a turned switch and a number of cars were ditched A mob set upon the crew of the engine and train The fireman and engineer took to their heels, getting numerous cuffs The new switchmen were followed pursued and roughly used Six or eight Pinkerton men on the train attempted to protect the train men but the mob disarmed them After a few efforts to defend themselves, the Pinkerton men took to flight to escape the drubbing they were receiving at the hands of the furious mob Several were hurt [illegible] thought seriously so On the train was Division Superintendent John Besler of the Burlington road, He hurried to the front, was recognized attacked and badly used up He escaped, ran to the switch house and locked himself in

The Riot Created Great Excitement

Pinkerton men and officers flocked to the scene and the mob quickly dispersed Only one man was arrested Will [illegible] Quirk The police were ordered to the scene from nearly all the stations Quirk was a Chicago Milwaukee and St Paul switchman When it was known that Quirk was arrested the crowd followed him to the station house and endeavored to get him released Numerous offers of bail were made and eight thousand dollars sureties for his appearance was offered, but he was locked up The Milwaukee and St Paul men were in a rage and decided to strike immediately The whole yard's force of switchmen, engineers and firemen 227 [illegible] all quit work leaving as engines on the tracks It is rumored that the brakemen on the same road will go out to night

The Strikers Say

that the Milwaukee and St Paul road is particularly friendly to the Burlington They have been ready and willing to quit for some time Mr Morton of the "Q" road said the [illegible] was anticipated The company would [try] to prevent its repetition

A meeting of 700 engineers, firemen and switchmen [illegible] representatives from all the roads were present It was resolved that a general boycott be declared against Burlington freight on all roads

The sentiment was that the Burlington road has gone too far There is no reason why the engineers' demands should not be granted They were reasonable and the time had come to enforce them

The St Paul Men Return to Work

At 8 30 P M two officers of the St Paul Co succeeded in having Quirk released on bail He went at once to the St Paul strikers' meeting and they speedily resolved to resume work By 9 P M the men were again at their posts

Chief Arthur Said To-day

"When the strike began my advice to the men was to abstain from violence If the company succeeded in getting men to fill the places we could retire like men We do not believe the company has obtained good competent men nor can it in a year or so long as the men on the "Q" are willing to continue the conflict as organization We disclaim any responsibility for the [illegible] utterances of individual members" Mr Arthur said he could have no thoughts of resigning in the midst of the battle

Help for the Burlington Still Going Forward

PITTSBURG, March 29 One hundred and fifty conductors and brakemen from the Reading system left for the Chicago Burlington and Quincy Railroad to day all Knights of Labor

FROM WASHINGTON.

News About the Capital.

Estimated Decrease in the Debt

WASHINGTON, March 29 Estimated decrease in the public debt for the month of March will amount to nearly $10 000 000

Commercial Union with Canada

Professor Goldwin Smith addressed the House Committee on Foreign Affairs today in support of Representative Butterworth's bill looking to the establishment of commercial union between the United States and Canada He argued that the Canadian people generally favored the plan

A Retaliatory Bill Introduced

Senator Farwell to-day introduced a bill authorizing the President to prohibit the importation of products of foreign States in certain cases, as a retaliation where products of the United States are unjustly discriminated against by foreign States

MASSACHUSETTS

Ex United States Marshal Indicted for Embezzlement

BOSTON, March 29 William D Pool, lately Chief Deputy United States Marshal was indicted by the Grand Jury this morning on the charge of embezzlement, and rendering false accounts The indictment is the result of the investigation by the Grand Jury which was asked for by ex-Deputy Marshals Galloupe and Snow, into the charges made against them of malfeasance in office Galloupe and Snow are exonerated from the charges made against them, while two indictments are found against Pool The amount said to have been embezzled is about $7 500 Pool resides in Lynn, where he is prominent in church circles A warrant has been issued for his arrest

MAN OF WAR LANCASTER

Anxiety Regarding Her Safety

NEW YORK, March 29 The Tribune's Washington special says the fact that the man-of-war Lancaster has not been heard from for some time, is beginning to attract attention The Lancaster left Montevideo January 17th last for Gibraltar, where she was to join the Mediterranean squadron It was expected that the voyage would take fifty days, though a reasonable time beyond that period would not have been remarkable. Yesterday, however, was the 70th day since she sailed Provisions were taken for 90 days so that only 20 days' provisions remain on board Prior to leaving Montevideo the Lancaster's boilers were in such bad condition that they could not be used She may have stopped at St Helena, which is cut off from all cable or telegraphic communication

NEW YORK.

The High License Bill Passed the Assembly

ALBANY, March 29 The Crosby high license bill passed the Assembly to-day, 66 to 61

NEW HAMPSHIRE.

Waylaid and Terribly Beaten.

EXETER, March 29. Some time ago Hilton Otis married the daughter of Geo. P. Hoag, a farmer of Stratham, against the latter's will. A bitter feeling resulted. Otis made many threats. Last night he waylaid Hoag on the highway and beat him insensible with a club. Hoag will probably die Otis is still at large.

Newspaper Sold.

The Exeter News-Letter, the leading Republican paper of Rockingham county, was purchased to-day by John Templeton, assistant manager of the late William B. Morrill.

THE LAST RITES.

Funeral of Chief Justice Waite at Toledo, Ohio.

A Large Concourse Views the Impressive, Yet Simple, Service

TOLEDO, Ohio, March 29 The special train with the remains of Chief Justice Waite arrived at 9 35 this morning on schedule time.

The casket, containing the body, was removed at once from the special car and placed in the hearse and the funeral cortege, composed of police, Toledo Bar Association, Toledo Board of Trade, City Council, Mayor and other city officials, guard of honor, composed of Toledo Cadets, Justices of Supreme Court, Senatorial and House Committees, citizens on foot and in carriages, moved to the residence of Hon Richard Waite, brother of the deceased, where the remains were deposited The city is thronged with strangers and business is entirely suspended.

A Special Train

bearing Governor Foraker and staff and about forty members of the Legislature, arrived at 10 45 A great crowd in the vicinity of the residence of Richard Waite waited the arrival of the funeral cortege. When the hearse arrived the casket was borne into the house by a squad of the Toledo Cadets and placed in the north parlor Upon the casket lay a beautiful wreath from President and Mrs Cleveland and two pairs of crossed palms, crossed and fastened with white satin ribbons The room was filled with a large number of beautiful floral tributes from many local friends The remains were then privately viewed by Mrs Waite and other members of the family At 1 30 they were removed to the guild rooms, Trinity church At the desire of Mrs Waite and family the ceremonies were as simple as it was possible to make them The casket was carried by a squad of Toledo Cadets They and the pall bearers made up the simple procession

The Casket Was Placed

on a draped catafalque in the center of the large hall Shortly after [illegible] the lid was removed The features were [illegible] [illegible] but bore the same kindly benign and expression which was their chief characteristic in life For two hours citizens filed past viewing the remains So dense was the throng that it was impossible at times for the street cars to pass The doors were closed at 2 40 Many thousands were disappointed The casket was closed and removed to the chancel of the church [illegible] [illegible]

The chancel pulpit and stalls for the choristers were heavily draped in black The lectern bore a magnificent wreath of lilies sent from Washington The pulpit bore a fragrant bed of Bermuda lilies At the left of the pulpit was a bank of flowers with the motto "Final Decree" [illegible] the surviving

Members of the Supreme Court

The family pew was beautifully [illegible] ated with calla lilies, draped with black

The doors of Trinity church were thrown open and the distinguished guests entered The regular funeral services of the Episcopal church followed, with music by a well trained male choir, all attired in beautiful white surplices At the conclusion Rev Dr H B Walbridge, former rector of the church, now of New York, delivered a fitting and tender address The remains were placed in the hearse and the procession wended its way to Forest Cemetery in the following order Members of the bar, members of the Board of Trade, members of the Common Council, pall bearers in carriages, Toledo Cadets, hearse, family in carriages, committees from Washington in carriages, Judges and officials of the Court District and Federal Courts in carriages, State officials in carriages, friends and citizens The attendance was very large The streets in front and side of the church were packed with people who vainly attempted to find ingress

At Forest Cemetery

the casket was deposited in the vault with a short prayer and the closing portion of the Protestant Episcopal ritual The procession then returned to the city Gov Foraker and staff, State official and members of the Legislature left for home at 6 o'clock Members of the Supreme Bench the two Congressional Committees and other persons who came on the Washington special train left at three o'clock

MARINE INTELLIGENCE

Steamer Canonburg a Total Loss

NANTUCKET, Mass, March 29 Steamer Canonburg previously reported, has sunk and is virtually a total loss One of her crew died from exposure Her valuable cargo of sugar is insured in Boston and was consigned to the Standard Sugar Refinery, Boston

DEMOCRATS, NOT SOLDIERS

The Subject of Senator Ingalls Criticism

TOPEKA Kansas, March 29 In a letter to Railroad Commissioner Greene, Senator Ingalls says "Every man of intelligence knows that my allusions to Hancock and McClellan were not as soldiers but as Democratic candidates for the Presidency. As such they were allies of the Confederacy as Grover Cleveland is, and as every Democrat must be who aspires to that office because he must be elected by 153 votes of the Solid South, which was much an aggressive, potential force in our politics as it was in 1860"

HEAVY FIRE IN LOWELL

A Total Loss of Over $200 000

LOWELL, Mass, March 29 The four story wooden mill of the Coburn Shuttle Co was burned to-night The Pickering Hosiery Co 's mill, adjoining, was damaged Loss $25,000, insured.

The Coburn brick mill was a total loss It was owned by the Coburn Shuttle Co, built in 1878, valued at $60,000 and partially insured It was occupied on the first floor by the Coburn Shuttle Co, second and third floors by the Pickering Knitting Co, fourth floor by Haworth & Watson Copper Tube Co The wooden building, also burned, was occupied on the first floor by Abram Batchelder, bung manufacturer, second and third floors by the Criterion Hosiery Co, owned by Edward Lamson, of Lowell, and Warren G Hamblett, of Lawrence, the fourth floor by the embroidery department of the Pickering Knitting Co The mill contained considerable new machinery and a great quantity of manufactured goods The loss will probably exceed $200 000, partially insured

ODDS AND ENDS.

Reports have reached Sonora, Mexico that the Seris Indians, a fierce tribe inhabiting the Tiburon Islands, have crossed to the mainland and are raiding ranches and committing other depredations with a boldness that strikes terror to the heart of the Mexican settlers along the coast. The Seris number about 300 and are one of the tallest races on the continent, nearly all measuring at least six feet four inches in height They use poisoned arrows and live entirely upon raw food In appearance they resemble the Malayans But few civilized people have ever dared to visit their island.

Continuous rains for the past 48 hours have caused the Sandusky River and its tributaries to overflow their banks and thousands of acres are submerged Mechanicsburg, a portion of this city, located in the flats, is flooded and the people are using boats for communication. Several washouts are reported on the Cincinnati, Sandusky & Cleveland Railroad and travel is much impeded

The Republican Senators had an order of business caucus yesterday morning The pending bill and the Stewart amendment proved the chief topic of discussion. No decision was reached in regard to it except to have another caucus Monday The committee will in the meantime undertake the task of outlining a financial policy for the party. Friday being Good Friday it was ordered by the Senate that when they adjourned yesterday it be to meet on Saturday.

Recorder Smyth, of New York, in Court of General Sessions yesterday made public a letter which he received which was marked "personal." The letter said that when a decision favorable to Jay Gould is rendered $250,000 (in) 1,000 dollar bills would be left at the recorder's residence. There was no signature to the letter. Recorder Smyth said he had no comments to make and that none seemed necessary.

HUNDREDS OF MINERS BURIED.

Forty Dead Bodies Already Taken Out

KANSAS CITY, Mo, March 29. There was an explosion in Mine No. 6, Rich Hill, Mo, at 1 P M Hundreds of miners were buried Forty dead bodies have already been taken out

Another Account

A Rich Hill despatch says About 4 P M there was a rumbling sound in mine No 6 A moment afterward two fearful explosions, in rapid succession, entirely wrecked the mine and buried in the debris over a hundred miners, who were cut off from all means of escape. Forty bodies have been taken out and at least twenty more miners are believed to be dead The Superintendent was taken out badly injured, but will survive In the terrible excitement and confusion it is impossible to give a list of the names, or even an estimate up to the full extent of the disaster The mine is situated six miles from the town, in Bates County, about a hundred miles south of Kansas City, on the Missouri and Pacific Railroad, in the center of the coal mining district

The First Explosion Occurred

at 12 10 [illegible] and killed twenty or thirty men Superintendent Sweeney and assistants immediately began rescuing the imprisoned miners and up to 4 30 succeeded in saving fifteen men, when the second explosion occurred, involving Superintendent Sweeney and aides The fire was terrific, shooting out from the top of the 270 foot shaft like a great furnace Further efforts to save the miners were hopeless As hundreds of women and children crowded about the burning shaft the scene became heartrending At 8 o'clock another explosion was momentarily expected as the flames are [illegible] magazine containing 300 or 400 kegs of powder [illegible] to the Keith & Perry Coal Company

CALIFORNIA

Fraudulent Chinese Return Certificates

SAN FRANCISCO March 29 In the U S Circuit Court to-day, in the trial of Lord [illegible] and [illegible] A Mel [illegible] [illegible] Indicted with W A Boyd al-o an Inspector for fraud and conspiracy in [illegible] [illegible] certificates [illegible] Boyd who has been in jail several months [illegible] full confession, specially implicating Interpreter [illegible] Kip

CONNECTICUT REPUBLICANS

State Convention to Select Delegates

HARTFORD, Conn March 29 The Republican State Central Committee to-day decided to [illegible] the State Convention for choosing delegates to Chicago at New Haven the 16th or 17th of May

FOREIGN NEWS.

America's Tribute to Germany

BERLIN March 29 Minister Pendleton in behalf of the American students in Germany, sent Count Herbert Bismarck a letter expressing deep sorrow for the death of Emperor William and profound respect for Emperor Frederick and adds that he [illegible] the feelings of the United States Government [illegible]

Violent Storm in France

PARIS March 29 A storm of unprecedented violence is raging at Brest and much damage has been done Vessels are unable to reach the passengers [illegible] the harbor

The Chinese Floods

LONDON March 29 Latest advices from China say that the crisis in Ho Nan is past but that the distress of the people is appalling Two millions persons being utterly destitute Hundreds of towns [illegible] by hordes of [illegible] and starving refugees from the flooded districts

Storm and Tidal Waves in New Zealand

A fierce storm with high tides and tidal waves has caused great damage in the north and south islands of New Zealand Telegraph wires are prostrated and railroad traffic abandoned

Rumored Plot to Murder Balfour

The Dublin Mail says that the London police have taken special precautions in consequence of their having learned of a projected plot to murder Mr Balfour

The Russian Government and Bible Societies

The Russian government has prohibited operations by the American Bible Society in the Baltic provinces It is possible that the government will ultimately expel all representatives of British and American Bible societies.

THE WEATHER

WAR DEPT OFFICE CHIEF SIGNAL OFFICER
Washington D C March [illegible] A M

Indications

For New England Fresh to brisk westerly winds, warmer, fair weather

New Advertisements

Snow & Co [illegible] announce [illegible] down sale of gloves for Easter [illegible] which a large and great variety will be sold at much below regular prices See their advertisement

Houses and house lots on Garland and Birch streets, for sale by George W Ladd

Appletons' revised edition, American Cyclopedia at half price, $3 60 per vol ume at D Bugbee & Co's

Spring paper hangings, now opening, at D Bugbee & Co's

See notice of Bangor Employment Agency

Richard Kelleher & Son, agent, publish the standing of the People's Fire Insurance Company, of Manchester, N H

Blake, Barrows & Brown agents of the Fidelity and Casualty Co, of New York publish a statement of its financial standing Surety bonds, accident policies and plate glass policies issued

Dandelion greens, spinach, lettuce, radishes, parsnips and sweet potatoes at Charles York & Co's

Stated meeting of St Andrew's Lodge this evening

See new time table of Maine Central Railroad to take effect April 1st

See new time table of New Brunswick Railway, in effect April 2d

Business Items.

More cases of sick headache, biliousness, constipation, can be cured in less time, with less medicine, and for less money, by using Carter's Little Liver Pills, than by any other means.

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THEY "SWORE TERRIBLY IN OUR ARMY IN FLANDERS,"

may be said of many sufferers from biliousness, headache, constipation, indigestion, and their resultant irritability, intellectual sluggishness, ennui, etc The temptation to thus violate a sacred commandment, however, is speedily and permanently removed by the use of Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets—tiny, little, sugar-coated anti-bilious Granules, nothing like them. One a dose Druggists

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Mrs Chas Smith of Jimes, Ohio, writes I have used every remedy for sick headache I could hear of for the past fifteen years, but Carter's Little Liver Pills did me more good than all the rest.

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BEAUTY'S BOWER.

Where grace and beauty most abound,
True happiness will oft be found.
Where ruby lips and glowing check
The gift of rugged health bespeak,
The artist, Nature's noblemen,
Will risk the treasure of his art,
Depicting, deftly as he can,"
The lines engraven on his heart,
Fair maiden, may life's richest joy
Spread her bright mantle over thee;
May years but gently with you toy,
And pleasures sweet, without alloy,
With fairest blossoms cover thee;
But should, perchance, thy beauty fade,
Thou can'st call quickly to thy aid
Our Golden Medical Discovery.

Remember that Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery is a sure cure for all skin eruptions and diseases of the blood.

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LOCAL MATTERS.

The Union preparatory lecture will be given this evening in the Central church at 7 30.

To-day is Good Friday and appropriate services will be held in St John's Episcopal church.

The entertainment and oyster supper at the West Bangor chapel has been postponed until next Thursday evening

The dealers are disposing of quite a large amount of stove coal just at present, there being quite a demand as the winter's supply has disappeared

The storm signals for no school were blown at eight and eleven o'clock yesterday forenoon and neither forenoon or afternoon session was held

The regular quarterly church and preparatory Communion meeting will be held in the small vestry at the Universalist church this evening at 7 30 o'clock

The Crusade have postponed the children's meeting until the last Friday in April, on account of the bad walking There will be no meeting this evening

The Sons of Veterans' assembly at City Hall last evening was well attended and a pleasant evening was spent Music was furnished by Messrs Howard and Kemp ton

The spring term of Colby began on Wednesday with a large attendance of students Nearly all those who have taught during the winter have returned to college

The [illegible] of the Ancient Order of Hibernians, of Houlton, will have a ball next Monday evening at the Opera House Robinson's Orchestra will furnish the music for the [illegible]

The steamer [illegible] arrived at Bucks [port] yesterday forenoon at two o'clock with a large freight list and a number of passengers She will leave this forenoon [on] the usual trip

Mr Moody Harris of Brewer is to give a lecture in the [illegible] Hall, Hampden, next Tuesday evening, upon "A Trip Across the Continent Including California and the Yosemite Valley

A [illegible] [illegible] in Caldwell Sweet's drug store window and [illegible] attracts much attention from passers by [illegible] little fellow is only a few months old

A large chorus choir is [illegible] Easter service at the Brewer Methodist church next Sunday for the evening concert A baptismal service will be held at the morning service

The Cecilia Club will hold a rehearsal this evening at City Hall and a full attendance is [illegible] [illegible] will be [illegible] of [illegible] their night work [illegible] for [illegible]

It is now getting near the time when you [illegible] down that the person you meet upon the street with long face and a general air of having lost [illegible] of [illegible] is the [illegible] upon the [illegible] [illegible] lost

Dr George H Bailey of Portland the well known veterinary, was in the city yesterday morning on his way to [illegible] [illegible] number of [illegible] horses belonging to [illegible] gentlemen in that place

Master Dana Holt and Mr E C Adams, will render a cornet duet at the Easter concert to be given by the Hammond Street Sunday school next Sunday evening. It will be one of the pleasant features of the programme

There was quite a variety of weather yesterday from the [illegible] of the forenoon to the clearing off clouding up and again clearing up in the afternoon It was warm through the day and the snow and ice disappeared very rapidly

Daniel Chaplin Camp Sons of Veterans of this city will be inspected on April 11th by Inspector Hilby, of Portland There will be a full attendance of the members of the camp and after the inspection there will be [illegible] exercises

The members of Condeskeag Lodge K of P who are to give their minor degree entertainment in City Hall on April [illegible] are making good progress with their [illegible] and frequent rehearsals are held It will be an interesting entertainment

The Bangor Band will hold their next rehearsal to-morrow evening at the usual [place] and a full attendance is desired The band is preparing some [illegible] selection which will be given [illegible] and some interesting concerts will be arranged for

The Last [illegible] [illegible] came into the city yesterday [illegible] for the first time The driver says that the wheeling is very fair except in the places where there are snow drifts, and there it is very hard going on account of the soft snow and slush

At the Wiley concert on the 12th of next month in City Hall Mr E F Jordan of Portland the fine baritone, will sing, and Miss Wiley, Mr Ray and the Arbuckleian Quartette will by request render the "Miserere" from "Il Trovatore" A splendid programme is being arranged for the occasion

It is reported that the river is open from Old Town to within a mile of the Water Works dam and that the ice looks very weak and as though it would take very little to send it down It will not be many days before the Penobscot will be open its entire length and navigation once more resumed

The assessors submitted the following list of assistant assessors to the Board of Aldermen yesterday afternoon for approval and the appointments were confirmed Ward 1, Patrick Tracy, ward 2, John C Honey, ward 3, John F Hatch, ward 4, John C Chase, ward 5, Joseph P Rogers, ward 6, Charles P Thoms, ward 7, Wm L Lord

At high tide yesterday noon the water in Kenduskeag stream came up over the wharf in the rear of Lea White's store and the stores on Central street, and the ice was piled up in large blocks Later in the day the ice took a move downwards and the stream was clear of ice. Lower down the stream the ice comes dangerously near the railroad bridge at high tide

Mr. W. R. Close, the inventor of the fog bell run by sails, which has been described in the WHIG, has received encouragement from Mr. Whitney, of Boston, a brother of Secretary Whitney, to set up a bell in Boston Harbor, and it will probably be done Those who have seen it work are much pleased with it and predict that it will come into general use at no distant date.

The last of April and the month of May are to be lively periods at the Opera House, and the attractions booked will be of frequent occurrence. Among the entertainments in April are Frederick Bryton in "Forgiven," "The Rag Baby," "The Sorcerer" and the Wilbur Opera company in a week of opera The remainder of the season will be well taken up with some excellent attractions.

At the Universalist church, Orono, next Sunday evening, a novel Easter concert will be given by the Sunday School, entitled "Child Eric's Pilgrimage" In the morning the service will be appropriate to the day. Music by a special choir

Mr F. L Frank has sold out his grocery business which he has carried on for a number of years on State street, to Mr Sproul, of Orono, who will continue the business. Mr Frank will go into business with Mr F. O Buzzell, proprietor of the laundry on Central street

The Jameson house at Stillwater, owned by Mr Byron Porter, took fire early yesterday morning Mr. Porter and his two sons were in the house at the time They gave the alarm and the fire company was promptly on hand After hard work the fire was extinguished, the building being damaged about $1 000 It was insured in the agency of Mr C P Wiggin, of this city

The remains of the late Hon Hollis Bowman were brought to this city Wednesday morning, from California, and upon their arrival were taken in charge by Mr Thomas Coly Superintendent of Mount Hope Cemetery who had them placed in the receiving tomb at Mount Hope Here they will remain until the early summer when they will be consigned to the family lot after appropriate services have been held

The High School library numbers 450 volumes, instead of 250 as was [illegible] formed these all being given by the class of '84 The class of '86 presented two very fine pictures to the school and they now hang in the large schoolroom It is the intention of the present graduating class to [illegible] [illegible] pictures and about [illegible] $50 worth of books for the library If the success of the project [illegible] [illegible] shall warrant

The Roxbury Mass Advocate [illegible] On Friday March 9th Mrs Eliza A Anderson the mother of William P Anderson, cashier of the Public mills, died at her residence in Roxbury Yesterday afternoon Mrs [illegible] Cushman the mother of the wife of Mr Anderson died at Jamaica Plain at the residence of Mr B H Eakins where she had gone for the hope of change of air proving beneficial During her recent [illegible] here Mrs Cushman has made many friends, who will be pained to learn of her sudden decease Mr and Mrs Anderson formerly resided in this city and will have the deep sympathy of many friends here in their bereavement

FLOWERS Mr E H Moses is making arrangements for two additional greenhouses at his conservatory in Buck port to be put up very soon work having already been commenced Mr Moses now sends many flowers to Boston, where there is a good market for them The business is on the increase each year and Mr Moses finds it necessary to add to his room from time to time On Wednesday he cut 100 magnificent roses at his conservatory Many flowers are used during Easter and this year will be no exception of the rule, as there has been a good sale already On Easter Sunday many of the churches will be finely decorated with flowers and some very beautiful and appropriate designs are arranged for the occasion

HAPPY HOUR MEETING A largely attended Happy Hour meeting was held last evening at the residence of N J Perkins Esq on Union street it being the close of a most interesting and successful series The organization has held four meetings which have been largely attended by young and old and has been furnishing social and literary and musical entertainments to all they have proved a large financial success, $80 being realized At the meeting last evening the following interesting programme was given and was greatly enjoyed Banjo duet, Messrs Clark and Carlisle, reading Mrs [illegible] Dakin solo Mr [illegible] Morton, vocal duet, Misses Haynes and Wright banjo duet, Messrs Clark and Carlisle vocal solo Miss Wright, [illegible], whistling solo, Miss Bertha Millikin, reading N J Perkins Esq, song, Mr J H Haynes There were numerous encores and responses

LOBSTERS BOILED BY STEAM Alfred Jones' Sons are making arrangements for a steam boiling apparatus for lobsters at their market in Pickering Square They have taken the market now occupied by Mr Frank Bristow next door but one, to their market and are now putting in the White-Chamber dry steam boiler This will supply steam to two tanks in which the lobsters to be boiled will be placed, the lobsters being contained in crates which are hoisted into position and run on tracks along the ceiling This method is said to be a great improvement over the old arrangement of boiling in hot water and leaves the lobsters in much better condition The remainder of room in the place will be used for storing lobsters, a large number of which the firm expect to handle during the season The apparatus will be in working order so that business can be begun in about a week

PLEASANT SOCIABLE The sociable given last evening by the Willing Workers Society connected with the Central church, in the church vestry, was a very pleasant affair, and the attendance was large A short time was spent in conversation before the entertainment of the evening, which began at eight o'clock The following was the programme Piano duet Misses Garland and Cutler, song, Mr F D Lincoln, reading, Miss Hattie Johnson, song, Miss Millikin, duet, cornet and violin, Messrs Howard and Roland Sawyer, song, Miss Skinner, cornet solo, Swiss Boy, Master Howard Sawyer This interesting programme was excellently carried out by the different persons who took part and each selection met with much favor The appreciation of the listeners was shown in the hearty applause which was given each number After the conclusion of the programme refreshments were served and the remainder of the evening was spent socially The occasion was one of much pleasure to all in attendance

THE WEEKLY COURIER issued this morning, contains the usual large amount of interesting reading and is a good number to send to absent friends. The price of THE WEEKLY is only $1 00 per year. It contains a two-page supplement, making forty-eight columns devoted almost entirely to reading matter It contains among other matter a full report of the meeting of the Trustees of the State Agricultural Society; the meeting of the Penobscot Farmers' Club at Orrington Centre, discussions, etc., death of Chief Justice Waite; doings of Congress, the Penobscot county tax, "Across the Continent," an interesting letter from a Bangor man; news from Eastern Maine, municipal elections, the salmon fisheries; a large amount of telegraphic news, editorials on current topics; stock and market reports; local news; subordinate officers elected by the City Government; letter from Camden; obituary of James Thissell, Esq.; an installment of the fascinating story, "Applied Science;" a poem, "The Fountain," by Annie B. Spearing; and a great deal of miscellaneous reading. Copies, in wrappers for mailing, may be obtained at the counting room.

The young man, Henry Getchell, spoken of in Thursday morning's WHIG as wandering about the streets Wednesday night and upon being taken to the police station was found to be quite sick, was much better yesterday and was taken to the Alms House to await the action of his friends.

MAINE PATENTS The following list of patents issued to Maine inventors for the week is reported for us by Mr P W J Ender, Solicitor of Patents Frederick P Hall, Boothbay, guard for pie plates and similar pans George D. Gaddis, East Machias, tire tightener, Arthur M. Burnham assignor by mesne assignment to Excelsior Wringer Co Gardiner, mop wringer Whole number for the week—patents, 384, designs 18, trade marks 17 labels 6, releases, [illegible] total 425

ORANGE TEA The parlors of the First Baptist church contained a large and pleasant gathering last evening upon the occasion of the "Orange Tea" and entertainment given by the young people of the church society, and the event was a great success from beginning to end Refreshments were served from 6 until eight o'clock and the delicious viands were heartily partaken of Soon after the [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] Piano duet, Misses Getchell and [illegible], whistling solo Miss Bertha Millikin, guitar duet, Miss Chase and [illegible] reading Miss [illegible], whistling solo, Miss Bertha Millikin [illegible] Miss Swan and Mr Patterson song Miss Lillian Arnold, reading Mrs [illegible], banjo duet Miss Swan and Mr Patterson Each selection was [illegible] rendered, and the hearty [illegible] which followed showed that they were [illegible] enjoyed by [illegible] Mrs [illegible] and Miss Swan and Mr [illegible] [illegible] The rest of the evening was passed in conversation It was a [illegible] very successful [illegible] and carried [illegible] much pleasure to all who were present

THE OLD TOWN WOOLEN MILL Work upon the foundation of the Old Town woolen mill is progressing very favorably and the results of the winter's work are being shown Twenty men have been at work through the winter in a large excavation about 150 feet long 75 wide and 16 feet deep has been made Most of this has been done in the solid rock The water has again [illegible] by the flowing of the [illegible] [illegible] the steam pump which has been kept going all of the time Several arches for the support of the mill have been completed and they have been constructed in a very substantial and solid manner The town of Old Town is already beginning to feel the impetus of the work and there is a demand for houses However the place [illegible] beginning to [illegible] the town and it is very likely that Old Town is to have [illegible] An assessment of fifteen per cent has been made upon the stock holders The work upon the building will be begun as soon as possible and then be rapidly pushed The contract for the [illegible] of the mill will soon be awarded and then matters will be on the rush

PLEASANTLY ENTERTAINED The society of Christian Workers connected with the Columbia street Baptist church was very pleasantly entertained last evening by Mr G W E Barrows at the Lowder between seventy and eighty being in attendance After a short time spent socially the following programme was listened to Piano duet "Matel" Miss Katie Ingalls and Miss Sadie Bunker recitation "The Creeds of the Bells," Prof W F Wentworth song "The Song that Reached my Heart" Mr A G Ray, piano solo, "When you and I were young, Maggie" Miss Katie Ingalls duet, "Matrimonial Sweets" Mr and Mrs J F Clark recitation, (by request) "Darius Green" Prof W F Wentworth song, "The Bashful Young Gentleman" Robert I Clark, piano duet, "Qui Vive," Miss Katie Ingalls and Miss Sadie Bunker, recitation "Medley" Prof W F Wentworth, song "Amalia" Mr A G Ray Each selection was much enjoyed by the listeners who fully appreciated the excellence of the programme All of the numbers were finely rendered and the readings of Prof Wentworth deserve special mention At the conclusion of the programme the company adjourned to the commodious dining room where delicious refreshments had been provided by Mr J B Patterson proprietor of the Lowder These were heartily partaken of and then a return was made to the parlors where the remainder of the evening was passed socially The closing event of the evening was the singing of "God be with you till we meet again" Those present felt that they had been most pleasantly entertained by the host and it was the unanimous opinion that the evening had been a most enjoyable one

Interesting Lecture and Entertainment in Hammond Street Church Vestry

The vestry of the Hammond street church contained a very large audience last evening upon the occasion of the lecture by Prof Ropes of the Seminary upon "The Elevator, or Some Phases of American Humor," which he repeated by request, and the musical programme rendered by Master Dana Holt and the Arbuckleian Quartette The entertainment began at half past seven o'clock and the following programme was presented "Arbuckleian March," Arbuckleian Quartette, cornet solo, "Ein Vogel," Master Dana Holt, selection, "Bohemian Girl" Arbuckleian Quartette, cornet solo, "Flectonia Polka," Master Dana Holt, cornet duet, "Swiss Boy," Master Dana Holt and Mr E C Adams.

These selections were listened to with much pleasure and the frequent and hearty applause proved the appreciation of the large audience Master Dana Holt again played with much expression and power and made a great hit by his execution, which is wonderful for one of his age He was deservedly recalled and responded with pleasing selections The Arbuckleian Quartette is always excellent and last night was no exception to the rule, for they played splendidly and were heartily encored

At the conclusion of the musical programme Prof. Ropes began his lecture, which was the same as that delivered last week and reported at that time in the WHIG It abounded in humorous stories of which an excellent selection had been made from the best types of American, English, French and German humor, and was delivered by the speaker in a manner that was fully up to the spirit of the stories which he so well told. The appreciation of the audience was shown in the laughter and applause which were given frequent vent, and the lecture was evidently much enjoyed.

He Took the Reporter In

Some time since a Boston paper gave an account of how one William H. Oakman, of Bangor, was taken in by reason of his child-like confidence in his fellow countrymen, and proceeded to indulge in some comments characteristic of the superior Hubite reporter on the innocence of down Easters. It appears, however, that it was the reporter who was taken in, this time. The report in the Boston paper said that Oakman intrusted his valise and an overcoat containing $75 to the care of an entire stranger while he went after a drink and when he came out stranger, gripsack, overcoat and wallet had disappeared. This reads well but what are the facts? Oakman came to this city strapped saying he belonged in the West He applied for aid at the Y M C A Rooms and the General Secretary secured some work for him, but he was soon stranded again by reason of his bad habits Calling at the rooms once more he said he had relations in Boston who would help him if he could get back there and some gentlemen here pooled in and bought a ticket which was placed in the hands of the conductor and Oakman started for the Hub which he reached in his usual strapped condition His story about being robbed was probably a device to get another life as he had no money valise or overcoat but it caught the reporter just the same

AMUSEMENTS

The Wiley Concert.

The Wiley concert on Thursday April 12th will be one of the best of the season [illegible] following array of talent will take part Mr Alfred D Sove Miss Wiley Mr E F Jordan of Portland baritone, Mr A G Ray, tenor, Miss Annie Wasgatt accompanist and the Arbuckleian Quartette The L'Europe, Paris says of Mr DeSeve

We reserve for [illegible] the merits of Monsieur DeSeve who performs wonders in his violin The dominant qualities of this concert [illegible] are a great purity of style [illegible] precision a [illegible] technique and a remarkable sweetness, which gives to his [illegible] a human voice In the phases [illegible] [illegible] Hall [illegible] this new [illegible] who came to us from beyond the [illegible]

MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS

BLANCHARD

The following are the town officers of Blanchard elected March 26th Moderator A D Sturtevant Clerk H M Pickard Selectmen [illegible] A Pickard, William Worster [illegible] C Blackstone Treasurer Charles F Pickard Superintending School Committee F P Blanchard Collector and Constable W B Butler

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At the annual meeting held [illegible] Monday the following officers were elected for the ensuing year Moderator [illegible] Flint Clerk C Foster Selectmen A W Chapin John Pullen A S Thomas Road Commissioner [illegible] C Flint Treasurer C S Pullen S S Committee [illegible] Hall G A Matthews Town Agent [illegible] [illegible] Collector of Taxes W [illegible] Pawn

GREENFIELD

The following town officers were elected Monday Moderator Hiram White Clerk [illegible] Selectmen [illegible] Whitten [illegible] Doyle Samuel E Whitten Treasurer B F White [illegible] James White, Supervisor [illegible] Whitten All Republican

[illegible] and Other Folks

Judge White [illegible] of Augusta [illegible] [illegible] city

Mr H A Billington of this city is on a trip to Boston

Hon [illegible] Gardner of Bucksport was in the city yesterday

Mr [illegible] Holt Contractor [illegible] [illegible] is in the city

Mr M L Shaw of Greenville, was in the city yesterday on business

Miss Nellie White is home from Auburndale Seminary for the Easter vacation

Mr John I Douglass of the Rock Island Route, was in the city yesterday on a business trip

Mr Charles Edmunds [illegible] Cal who has been visiting friends in this city, has left for his home

Ex Governors Selden Connor and Harris M Plaisted of Augusta were at the Bangor House last night

Miss Mae Silsby has been engaged as organist for the coming year by the Hammond street church society

Mr E F Askwith of the firm of Starrs & Askwith, Ottawa, was at the Penobscot Exchange yesterday

Major Joseph L Smith, of Old Town, who has been confined to his house all winter by illness, is now able to be out of doors

Mrs James Woodman and Miss Clara Woodman left for Boston yesterday morning, where they will be joined Saturday by Mrs Selden Leighton, of this city and all will proceed to Minneapolis Minn

Mr D J Flanders, general passenger and ticket agent of the Boston & Maine Railroad, and Mr David Gardner, general manager of the Rand & Avery Supply Company, were in the city yesterday on their way to St John

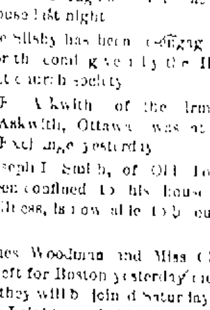
Mr Thomas Ridgeway, travelling passenger agent of the Wisconsin Central Railroad and formerly located in this city as the agent of the Grand Trunk, and Mr Macklin, agent of the Chicago and Alton Railroad, were in the city yesterday

Municipal Court.

Thursday, March 27th

William Cree, of North Stratford, N H, for drunkenness, three dollars and costs. Paid

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House for Sale.

The house and double lot now occupied by Mrs L. A. Kimball on the corner of Elm and Garland Street, is now offered for sale. For particulars, inquire of Mrs. Kimball on the premises or of

B. B. THATCHER, 56 Exchange Street.

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Tenement for Sale.

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Pulp Mill For Sale.

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A small, convenient cottage house, convenient for a small family, situated about [illegible] from Brewer Bridge. Address, POST OFFICE BOX 545

Hotel Men Attention!

[illegible] Hotel and livery property for sale. The owner after having lost [illegible] has decided to sell the furniture [illegible] at the Foxcroft Exchange, Foxcroft, Maine, will sell at a great bargain, if sold at once. For further information call on or address, W. H. PARSONS

House for Sale.

The desirable house and lot situated at No. 120 Cedar street, is offered for sale. For particulars inquire on the premises, or of [illegible] P. Wiggin, [illegible] Centre Street.

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Farm For Sale.

Two and a half miles from Post Office, consisting of about 25 acres, all tillage land, 5 acres in fruit, consisting of 200 young apple, 24 pears, plums, [illegible] [illegible] acres in blackberries, and a large [illegible] of raspberries, [illegible] acres strawberries. [illegible] house, barn, hen house, carriage house and shed. Good well of water at door, &c. [illegible] S. B. AYER, 24 Broad Street and 70 [illegible] Square.

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NOTICE.

Parties Contemplating the Purchase of Horses.

W. L. ROBBINS will arrive Tuesday, [illegible] with a car load of [illegible] horses, [illegible] inspection will be found the best [illegible] purpose horses ever shipped to this city [illegible] at Stickney & Babcock's [illegible] Bangor. These [illegible] sale and will be sold at [illegible] [illegible] I am prepared to give him a [illegible] bargain.

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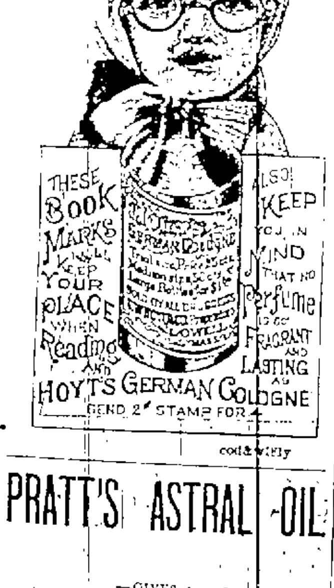
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GRAY FUR.

BY E. GERARD.

IV.

Two days after his departure from St. Petersburg, Hugo Weyprecht found himself pacing the road at the entrance of a small country town, as he waited for the arrival of the diligence.

He had been dropped here by some other conveyance earlier in the day, for his mission had involved various stoppages and zigzagerings from off the main track, much bargaining and wrangling with cunning Jewish contractors or obtuse country bumpkins. Now he was about to take the regular diligence as far as K——, where his business was to terminate.

He was finding the time of waiting very long, for there was absolutely nothing in this filthy little town to attract even the passing notice of a stranger. The frost had somewhat relaxed, but the air was chill and the atmosphere dense with the presage of an approaching snow storm, which, in the shape of thick white mist, brooded over the place, obscuring the view and giving to the nearest and commonest objects a far off unreal appearance. Like the breath of some colossal monster it was floating everywhere in fleecy flakes, intangible and transparent, yet distorting each object within its range; giving to the stunted willows on either side of the road the guise of crooked specters, and to the hooded crows flying homeward to roost the semblance of huge black griffins.

"We shall have snow before long," muttered the young man to himself. "If only the roads are not blocked up! It would be awkward to be delayed on the way, and I shall not breathe freely again till I have got rid of"— He did not finish the phrase, which he had spoken half aloud, for the sound of approaching bells had arrested his attention.

"The diligence, at last!" he exclaimed with relief, as he distinguished a dark mass advancing toward him.

Fancifully unreal through the fog appeared the figures of three white horses, looking no more substantial than if formed of the floating mists around. But it was not the diligence Hugo Weyprecht recognized as he stepped aside to let the phantom equipage pass by, but a small light open carriage in which reclined a single figure.

Hugo could only distinguish a vision of golden hair, very wide open blue eyes, and a slender youthful figure, which, like everything else, seemed wrapped in curling gray mists as she floated by. She look d like the queen of the mists herself.

So at least thought Hugo Weyprecht, as for full two minutes he stood staring open mouthed at the retreating carriage. Then he began retracing his steps toward the post house, in the faint hope of catching another glimpse of the beautiful vision. Evidently some great lady travelling in her own carriage, he thought, a Russian princess most likely, and he gave a sigh and then smiled a little at his own folly. What had he to do with Russian princesses? The chances were he would never in his life come across her again, and it could do him no good even to hear her name.

No harm either, he reflected a moment later, determined to put the question to the first person he met.

There was no need of so doing, however, for as he stepped into the untidy posthouse courtyard, to his unbounded surprise there in the center of the yard was the lady herself, standing beside a small black trunk. There was no sign of either carriage or servants, apparently they had vanished into mist like Cinderella's fairy equipage.

Seen there at close quarters, she appeared less unreal but quite as lovely as she had done at first sight, even though her misty raiment now disclosed itself as gray merino and Astrakhan fur.

As Hugo approached she was fumbling with the lock of her box, which had sprung open on the way.

"May I be allowed to assist you?" he ventured to ask, in a very respectful tone.

The girl glanced quickly at him with an inquiring look.

"I do not speak Russian," she said in her native language.

"But I am German also," cried Hugo, delighted to have found a bond of union between himself and this exquisite creature.

But his eager tone had alarmed her, and after scanning him for a moment with naive suspicion, she coldly refused his offer of assistance.

"Thank you, I do not require any help; I can manage it very well alone."

"As you please," said Hugo, discomfited, withdrawing from her side and returning to the open street, where in a state of considerable irritation he paced up and down smoking his cigar.

"Bah!" he exclaimed in disgust some ten minutes later, throwing away his weed. "Everything is bad in this wretched country; not even the cigars are passable!"

He re entered the courtyard, studiously refraining from glancing at that slender figure in the gray fur jacket, and was about to enter the uncongenial b[illegible] room, when an obviously artificial little cough caused him to turn and see her standing in a somewhat dejected attitude near the still unclosed trunk.

Ca her side she had been examining him furtively, and had come to the conclusion that he did not look so very dangerous.

"Mr —Mr —German," she began in some embarrassment. "I find I cannot get the lock to close after all! Perhaps I am not strong enough," she concluded with a sigh. She said no more, but her blue eyes were plainly asking him to help her now and to forgive his former repulse.

It needed no more to make his ill humor vanish, and directly he was at her side, bending down over the obstreperous lock, while sitting on the trunk she endeavored to weigh down the lid.

"I am afraid we must change parts," he said a minute later, looking up laughingly into her eyes from his kneeling posture. "You are not near heavy enough," and taking her place he easily got the obstinate lid to close, and the lock was firmly secured.

"Thank you," she said gravely, drawing on her gloves again and sitting down on the trunk.

"Shall you not catch cold out here?" now demanded Hugo, for he felt that the service he had rendered entitled him to pursue the acquaintance.

"But, I cannot go inside that horrible room," she answered, shuddering. "It is so hot and stuffy, and there is such a dreadful noise, and the men look so rough. Besides, the diligence will be here directly."

The diligence! Was it possible that this dainty looking creature was to be his travelling companion? Hugo felt his heart leap up strangely at the thought, but he still was puzzled as to her apparent isolation. What had become of her carriage and servants?

"The diligence!" he said, interrogatively. "The diligence to K——? That the one I am waiting for myself; but I fear you will find it very rough and uncomfortable, much more so than travelling in your own carriage."

"My own carriage!" she exclaimed, betrayed into momentary laughter. "Count Freloff's carriage, you mean! They were kind enough to send me this far," she continued, bitterly, forgetting that she was speaking to a stranger. "And now I must just shift for myself as best I can. Of course it is nothing to them how I reach, or whether I ever reach, my home. But I am quite able to take care of myself," she said abruptly, drawing up into renewed reserve. "And—and I am not at all frightened."

Hugo smiled a little.

"Then the carriage I saw has left you here?"

"Yes, they just drove me into the yard and put me down with my box, as if I had been a bundle of wares myself, and then they turned and drove away to the inn at the other end of the town. Why should they have stayed? They are not my servants and are not paid to wait on me."

Hugo Weyprecht now began to understand the case. This was no great lady, such as he had taken her for at first sight, but a simple girl of his own rank of life, a humble companion or governess apparently; and far from experiencing any sort of disappointment at this discovery, he was only conscious of a great sense of relief.

At this moment the clumsy diligence rolled heavily into the yard, the jaded horses were replaced by less jaded ones, and ten minutes later the conveyance was ready to start.

V.

Love at first sight is no mere fevered invention of the poet's overheated brain, and despite the [illegible] egotism of our terribly practical and matter of fact age, it is, I am inclined to believe, of far more frequent occurrence than is generally suspected. If—for instance, the victims—those suddenly stricken—could be registered statistically, we should, doubtless, find them greatly to outnumber those who are yearly struck dead by lightning. Modern science has furnished us with a means of resisting the fire of heaven in the shape of lightning conductors, thanks to which many people are annually saved from an untimely end; but for that inward fire which, with equal and unexpected force, can strike a man surely but secretly to his heart's core, no lightning conductor has yet been found.

Hugo Weyprecht wished for no lightning conductor, and made not the slightest effort to struggle against his fate. From the first glimpse he had caught of Clara floating past him in the mist, he had felt drawn toward her as he had never felt drawn toward woman before, and by the time he had handed her into the diligence, he had quite made up his mind to win her for his wife if she could be won.

He never could have told himself what it was about her that had thus made of him her slave in a few minutes. It was not her beauty merely, for he had seen plenty more beautiful women, nor was it her childish helplessness nor her equally childish assumption of independence, nor was it the ungraciousness with which she had at first repulsed him, nor yet the sweetness to which this had afterward given way. Perhaps it was all of these taken together, or more probably it was because she was just herself and he was just himself, and that, therefore, whatever she had done or left undone would have appeared perfect in his eyes.

For something, no doubt, in this inevitable result, may be reckoned the delightful surprise of meeting a countrywoman in an obscure corner of a strange land. The passionate, dark eyed, over colored beauties of the country had no charm for this serious young German, who, on first beholding Clara's limpid eyes and soft flaxen tresses, felt as though, after a surfeit of lonely steppes and gloomy pine forests, he had again caught a glimpse of the laughing vineyards and the blue Rhine waters of his beloved Fatherland!

As for her—well, of course, no properly conducted damsel ever does fall in love at first sight. Such a thing is unheard of, and the lightning darts I spoke of can only be supposed to affect the coarser sex, just as in a forest of mixed trees the thunderbolt will always select the sturdy oak to fall upon, while it glides harmless between the small beech stems.

Thus Clara, beech like, considered herself intact, and hardly noticed how, in the course of the thirty-six hours they had travelled together, she had imperceptibly glided into intimacy with her countryman, and had unconsciously initiated him into all the little events of her uneventful life. She had told him all about her rather melancholy childhood, the dull home with a peevish old aunt, then her journey to Russia, the short bright summer with all its pleasures, and the sudden collapse of her hopes when her little pupil had died. The only thing she had not happened to mention to him as yet was about her money, not from any want of confidence, but simply because there had been no occasion for so doing.

They had various other travelling companions for short stages at a time—two old ladies, an invalid gentleman with a servant, a friar, a fat horse dealer and some Jews, but these had all successively dropped off, and on the second morning Hugo and Clara were the only inside occupants of the stage coach.

[To be continued.]

Afloat on Drifting Ice.

HEROIC RESCUE OF A WOMAN FROM A PERILOUS POSITION IN THE NORTH RIVER.

Mrs. Jane Donovan, the wife of Capt. John Donovan, the chief officer of canal boat No. 18, belonging to the Manhattan Transportation Company, had a novel experience, Sunday, says the New York *Tribune*, floating around the North River on a large cake of ice, and receiving a severe shock which will probably have a fatal ending. The canal boat came from Port Johnson, Saturday, and tied up at the foot of West Ninety-sixth street. Captain Donovan and his wife slept on board. Early Sunday, a terrible crash followed by the sound of swift-rushing water awakened the captain. The boat rocked from side to side. The captain jumped from his bed, aroused his wife, and they both ran on deck just as the water broke through the cabin window. They made a rush to get off the boat, but before they could get near the pier it sank under their feet and left them floundering in the water. Their loud cries for help attracted the attention of Thomas Clemens, a switchman on the Hudson River Railroad, and he rushed down to the pier.

The river was filled with heavy cakes of ice, one of which had smashed a big hole in the canal boat. Clemens threw a long rope and it was caught by the captain. His wife had been carried out of his reach by the tide, and Clemens pulled him ashore. Mrs. Donovan was too far away to reach the rope when it was thrown to her the second time. She could not swim, but the ice kept her from sinking. She seized a piece of the roof which came near her. It rested upon a big cake of ice. The struggling woman managed to get partially out of the water on the ice. She had only a nightdress on and suffered severely from cold.

Seeing that he was unable to aid the woman with the rope, Clemens ran to the foot of Nineteenth-st., and, with the aid of Thomas Nevins, broke open a boat-house. After considerable labor they got a small boat into the water. It leaked badly, but both men jumped into it and started for the woman.

The current had taken her out into the middle of the river and she was being carried rapidly away by the flood tide. She screamed for help until benumbed by the cold and exhaustion, and then lay on the ice as if dead. The two men had a perilous journey through the ice. It struck the little craft so hard that it started the seams, and one man was kept busy bailing the water while the other pushed the ice away. It seemed useless several times to try and get the boat into clear water, but the two men stuck to the work manfully, and in about a quarter of an hour they reached a place where they could make good headway. Mrs. Donovan by this time had drifted up to One-hundred-and-fifth-st. The woodwork had slipped partially from the ice, lowering Mrs. Donovan into the water nearly to her neck, but she clung to the wood with the grip of death.

When the rescuers got to her, her eyes were closed and her head had dropped so that in a few minutes the water would have run over her. She was unconscious when they seized her by the shoulders. It required all the strength of the two men to break the woman's grip on the plank, and the boat was nearly upset in getting her into it. The trip back to the boat-house was also dangerous but the shore was finally reached. Both Clemens and Nevens gave up their clothes to the unconscious woman when they got her out of the water. At the boat-house an attempt was made to revive her, but when the ambulance arrived from the Ninety-ninth street hospital, she was still in a comatose condition. It took two hours' heroic treatment to resuscitate her so that she breathed freely. Dr. Lawlor, the house surgeon, had hopes of saving the woman's life, but was of the opinion that she would have pneumonia and this would certainly have a fatal ending. Mrs. Donovan was in the water nearly an hour.

Grange Meetings.

Excelsior Pomona Grange—Next meeting with Farmington Grange, Thursday, March 29.

Waldo County Pomona Grange—Next meeting with Sandy Stream Grange, Friday, April 27.

Penobscot County Grange—Next meeting with Pine Grove Grange, Brewer, Saturday, April 28.

Androscoggin County Pomona Grange—Next meeting with Excelsior Grange, Poland, Wednesday, May 2.

Cumberland County Pomona Grange—Next meeting with Presumpscott Grange, Wednesday, May 2.

WHOLESALE PRODUCE MARKET.

[Corrected semi-weekly by the Grocers' Association.]

WEDNESDAY, March 28.

State Law Regarding Weights and Measures.

A bushel of Liverpool salt shall weigh 60 pounds and a bushel of Turks Island salt shall weigh 70 pounds.

The standard weight of a bushel of potatoes, in good order and fit for shipping, is 60 pounds.

The standard weight of a bushel of beans in good order and fit for shipping is 62 pounds. Of wheat, beets and peas, 60 pounds, of corn, 56 pounds, of onions, 52 pounds, of carrots, turnips, rye and Indian meal, 50 pounds; of barley and buckwheat, 48 pounds; of oats, 32 pounds, or even measure as by agreement.

Country Produce.

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Yellow Eye, per bush	2.65@2.75
picked, per bush	2.00@3.00
roll, per lb	20@22c
[illegible]	18@20c
[illegible] per lb (new)	13@14c
per lb (new)	13@14c
per lb	7@8c
[illegible]	8@9c
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per ton	11 00@12 00
[illegible]	12 00@13 00
try, new, per bush	40@45c
[illegible]	47@50c
per bush	2 25
whole	1 15@1 20
per bush	70@75c
per lb	7@7½c
per lb	12@15c
[illegible]	@12c
[illegible]	15@18c
per bush	2 00

Retail Prices Current.

SALT—	
Bangor, ground, in boxes, per box	20c
English butter salt, in 14 lb bags, per bag	25c
[illegible] lb bags	75c
Liverpool, per bush	35c
Turks Island, per bush	4 c
HERRING—	
English, scaled, in boxes, per box	25c
RAISINS—	
Loose Muscatels, per lb	15@20c
London layers	20@25c
Sultana	18@20c
Valencia	10@12c
CURRANTS—	
English, per lb	
CRANBERRIES—	
Per quart	12@15c
POP CORN—	
Best old, cob, per lb	11@17c
Best old, shelled, per qt	8c
KEROSENE OIL—	15c
150 test, per gallon	12c
150 test, per gallon	15c
VINEGAR—	
Pure cider, per gallon	25@30c
Pure W. W	25c
FLOUR—	
Best Spring Haxall	6 25@6 50
Best St. Louis	5 50@6 25
Good family	5 25@5 50
CORN—	
Full weight	75c
CORN MEAL—	
50 lbs. to bush	7 c
SHORTS—	
St. Louis bran, in sacks	$0.00@1.50
Milwaukee, per ton in bags	0 00@1 25
MIDDLINGS—	
Flour, per hundred	1.55@1.40
Coarse	1.35@1.40
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In sacks of 100 lbs	1.25@1.40

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Best Irish	5c
Best Canada	4c
RYE MEAL—	
Per pound	4c
GRAHAM FLOUR—	
Per pound	4c
BUCKWHEAT FLOUR—	
Per pound	5c
PORK—	
Country, clear, per lb	10@11c
Western	10@11c
LARD—	
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Home, in pails	11@12c
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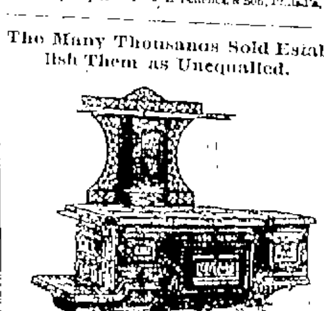
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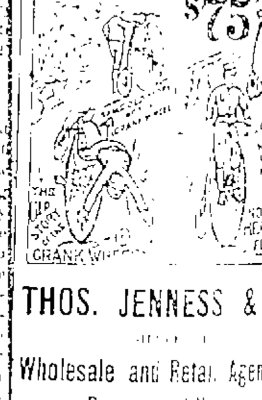
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